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## Poetry.

### Dried-apple Pies.

I loathe! abhor! detest! despise!
Abominate dried apple pies;
I like good bread, I like good meat,
Or anything that's fit to eat;
But of all poor grub beneath the skies,
The poorest is dried-apple pies.
Give me toothache or sore eyes
In preference to such kind of pies.

The farmer takes his gnarliest fruit,
'Tis wormy, bitter and hard to boot;
They leave the hulls to make us cough,
And don't take half the peeling off.
Then on a dirty cord the'r strung,
And from some chamber window hung;
And there they serve a roost for flies
Until they're ready to make pies.
Tread on my corns, or tell me lies,
But don't pass me dried-apple pies.

## Selected Story.

### Tried in the Crucible.

Rain, rain, rain—a hopeless day, with an easterly wind and a sky of lead. The streets were dirty and sloppy, muddy and miserable. Women hurried along with draggled skirts; men plunged along through the slippery mud with sulky faces. A dark, dreary, miserable day; and all of its gloom was reflecting in Miss Evelyn's face, as she stood looking out of her boudoir window.

She was tall and stately, and beautifully dressed, too, this Miss Evelyn; and young—that is to say, twenty-five, so she need hardly have worn that weary, miserable look, one may think, if the weather was bad. Besides one would have thought it a fine thing to be Miss Constance Evelyn, with a fortune of one hundred thousand dollars, and such a pretty room to nestle in on wet days.

Miss Evelyn dropped the curtains as the little ormolu clock struck eleven, and began walking up and down, up and down, with the shadow on her face deepening and darkening every moment.

Presently she stopped before a great mirror that reflected her from top to toe, and gazed long and fixedly at the pale, proud face, black, glossy hair, and blue eyes that gazed back.

"Am I handsome?" thought Miss Evelyn, "or is it only the wretched flattery that is poured into the ear of every rich woman that I know? Which does he think, I wonder?"

Ah! that little tell-tale pronoun! The proudest of these proud women are humble enough when "he" is in the question.

"And am I growing old?" thought Miss Evelyn, "I never fancied so till last night. The idea of an unmarried woman of five-and-twenty presuming to think of herself as young! I passed him talking to a young lady—a gushing girl 'just out,' but they did not see me. 'Miss Evelyn's handsome,' exclaimed Misy, in answer to something he had said. 'Oh, yes, of course, but frightfully old, isn't she? Why, she was going to be married to Mr. Lawrence ever so long ago, and was engaged to a cousin ages before that!' That was quite enough. I walked away and danced with the first gentleman who asked me, and comprehended my life was gone and I was an old maid."

She began walking up and down again, her thoughts wandering gloomily into the past.

"And what a useless life it has been!—What a deceit society is! What a shallow, vapid, empty mockery! I am a weariness to myself, and a useless thing to my fellow-creatures. If we are all born with a destiny to accomplish, and work to do, it is time I found mine out, and began it. What is an old maid's mission, any way? To talk scandal, drink tea, and be snubbed? Come in!"

There had been a modest rap at the door, and Mary the housemaid appeared.

"If you please, Miss, Mr. Underhill is in the drawing-room."

Miss Evelyn started.

"Mr. Underhill? Such a morning! Go down, Mary, and tell him I'll be there in a moment."

She shooked out her flowing morning robe, smoothed her glossy braids, and slowly descended, Mr. Underhill, Miss Evelyn's lawyer, a sober, elderly man, rose up at her entrance.

"Good morning, Miss Evelyn. Dreary day, isn't it? You didn't expect a visitor such weather."

"Hardly," Miss Evelyn answered languidly. "But you are very welcome, Mr. Underhill."

"Thank you, Miss Evelyn. I wish I had brought more welcome news."

For the first time, now, the young lady noticed the trouble in his face and voice.

"What is it?" she asked quietly, "trouble for me?"

"Yes, Miss Evelyn."

"About money matters of course."

"Yes."

"You seem rather reluctant to tell it, Mr. Underhill. I beg you will think better of me. Whatever it is, I shall be glad to hear it at once."

"I have cause to hesitate in telling it, my dear young lady, for it is very unpleasant—very, indeed. You remember the conditions of your late guardian's will?"

"Perfectly, sir."

"Will you have the goodness to repeat them to me, Miss Evelyn?"

"Certainly. His whole fortune—one hundred thousand dollars—and this house, as it stands, became mine, unconditionally, provided his nephew, supposed to be dead, in California, never reappeared—the fortune passed from me to him at once."

"Precisely, Miss Evelyn. And there my bad news begins."

"You mean the nephew is alive, after all?"

"I do."

She drew a fluttering breath—turned a little pale and cold—that was all.

"Is he here—in the city?"

"I regret, for your sake, to say he is."

There was a pause. She sat very still and cold—her hands folded in her lap.

"You have seen him, of course, Mr. Underhill?"

"Yes, Miss Evelyn. Mr. George Thorn came to my office yesterday, and proved his identity beyond the shadow of a doubt. But he has acted very generously—very nobly, I must say. I told him the conditions of his uncle's will, and that I had no doubt you were ready to abide by it. His answer was, 'The young lady shall do as she pleases. If her conscience and her honor tell her to resign it, of course I take it; if not, let her rest assured I shall never disturb her in its posession.'"

"I was surprised; very few men in his position would say as much, I assure you."

"He is very kind," said Miss Evelyn, slowly, turning whiter than marble, "and very generous. Tell George Thorn—tell Mr. Thorn, that my conscience and my honor command me to resign his fortune without a moment's delay. It is his from this hour."

"But my dear Miss Evelyn, hear me. There may be a compromise, a half, a quarter of it may be retained. It is too much to resign what has been yours for so long, like this."

"Not a whit too much. There can be no compromise. I would not take a dollar of it, hardly to keep me from starving. It is his, not mine. Do you thiuk I could accept the charity of a stranger? You ought to know me better."

Mr. Underhill bowed. He did not understand this sort of thing himself. It was not in his line. But he did understand the flashing of those blue eyes, the ringing of that proud voice. He had seen both before, and knew that the laws of Draco were nothing to the fiat of Miss Evelyn.

"I shall depart to-day," said she, rising, with a certain queeuliness of bearing that always overawed ordinary mortals. "Mr. Thorn can take posession of his house and fortune at once. Good day, Mr. Underhill."

The smile that accompanied the little white hand was very sweet and gracious, but the lawyer did not dare to question her. She was gone in a moment after, and was up in her boudoir once more, looking out at the slanting rain and gloomy sky, with something altogether new to think about.

Miss Constance Evelyn disappeared very suddenly from the brilliant society of which she had been one of the most brilliant stars. It was a nine-days wonder, this romantic whirl of fortune; and society was on the *qui vive* to get a glimpse of Mr. Geo. Thorn and make a hero of him; but Mr. Thorn fought shy of society and didn't show. They wondered—her dear five hundred friends—what had become of her, poor thing! and went on dressing and dining and party-giving, and presently forgot that she had ever existed.

And all the men who had loved her, or told her so, which is the same thing—where were they now? Only one, a simple-harted young millionaire of twenty-one, whom the world had not yet quite spoiled, and who viewed in fear and trembling the haughty belle, wrote her an offer of his hand and heart. Young Mr. Millionaire got an answer by return of post—very civil, but very cold. Miss Evelyn was much obliged to him but begged to decline.

Miss Evelyn was residing with a widow lady somewhere in Edenburg. Miss Evelyn had advertised for music pupils on so reasonable terms that she had got some, and in a few weeks had her hands full, and was kept on the tread-mill from morning till night. She and that heartless society, with which she had found so much fault, were never likely to trouble each other again. She could have born the falling off of her "summer friends" without one pang; but she could not bear that "he" should be so utter heartless. It was our Chillingham, who was handsome and an author, and with whom she had been in love for the past six months, in spite of herself. She has not wanted to love him—she had fought like a heroine against it—but ah! who could resist the seductive eloquence of those deep, dark eyes, persuasive sweetness of her earnest voice? He was so different from other men—so noble, so gifted, so perfect in his splended manner—that she could as soon have stopped the beating of her own heart as stopped it beating for him. And she had thought he loved her—had he not given her every reason to think so, except the three poor words, "I love you?" And now, and now.

Miss Evelyn never complained—never shirked her duties—fought the battle of life bravely, and wore away to a shadow. No weather kept her in doors, no cold confined her to her bed—she went on and gave her lessons, and drudged and drudged, week after week, until the poor widow's heart ached to see her.

"You're killing yourself, that's what you are doing," she said to her; "look at your feet, soaking wet—and you with that cold! Why don't you let your pupils wait when the weather's not fit for a stray dog to be out! You'll be in your grave in six more months!"

Miss Evelyn laughed—a mirthless sort of laugh enough.

"I don't know that that would be much loss to the world, Mrs. Norris. But you really fret yourself about me for nothing. You don't know how strong I am. Nothing hurts."

It was a week after this that, coming to the house of one of her wealthiest patrons, Miss Evelyn found company in the parlor, and a gentleman talking to her pupil. The pupil was a pretty young lady of eighteen—the gentleman, Mr. Chillingham. It was another wet morning, and the music teacher's garments were dripping.

"Really, Miss Evelyn, I hardly expected you in this shower," the young lady said, not over-graciously. "I am engaged this morning, and don't think I will take my lesson."

"Pray don't let me prevent you," said Mr. Chillingham. Miss Evelyn and I are old friends, and I, am more than happy to meet her again."

He extended his hand; she just touched it. Her fingers like ice—her hand cold and still as marble—told no tales. She could almost forgive him his sudden appearance, remembering that Mr. Chillingham remained all through the lesson, sitting in a distant corner holding a book, and furitively watching the music teacher. It might have touched any heart that cared for her—the haggard change in the once beautiful face. But the book made a shield for Chillingham; and, besides, there was no one there to see.

After that, Miss Evelyn met Mr. Chillingham very often at the house of her pretty pupil. But the old intimacy was not renewed. Miss Evelyn was like flint—colder to him than any stone. She listened, if he would presist in talking to her, and answered in monosyllable. She declinod haughtily and peremptorily when asked permission to see her home; and three days after wrote a note to the young lady, begging to be excused from further attendance.

Two days after coming home late in the evening, fagged and nearly worn to death with a hard days work, she found a visitor awaiting her in the parlor. Going in she saw to her surprise and anger, Mr. Chillingham. She stood before him, more queenly than in the days of old, haughtily questioning with fixed blue eyes.

"Pardon me, Miss Evelyn, for this intrusion," he said, coming forward; "but you shun me so persistently in other places, that I have no alternative. You have given me no chance to say what I have been longing to say since I have found you—that I love you Constance, and that I want you to become my wife!"

She stood in pale amaze, looking at him. She had loved him—she did love him dearer than life. She clasped her hands over her fluttering heart, not able to speak.

"You are the noblest and bravest women I ever met," he went on. "I thought so long ago, and loved you; but I never knew it so fully, and never loved you so dearly as since your generous renunciation of fortune. If I waited for a time, Constance, it was not that my love ever faltered, but I wished to see if you could brave adversity. You have, heroically; and now, loving you, I think, better than man ever loved woman, I ask you, Constance Evelyn, to be my wife."

He held out his arms. With a great sob, she was caught and held to his true heart, happy at last.

There was an hour's delicious quiet in the widow's parlor. Then Mr. Chillingham, holding both her hands, and looking at her earnestly, said: "But I have a revelation to make, and pardon to crave, my queenly Constance. I have deceived you!"

"Deceived me!" she cried, turning pale.

"Yes my dear, and many others. My name is not Chillingham!"

She sat looking at him—white and turning cold.

"I am George Chillingham Thorn, your guardian's nephew, long since supposed to be dead in California, and am the heartless scamp who has robbed you of your fortune."

She gave a little grasping cry. Mr. G. C. Thorn laughed in her face and went on: "I did it with malace aforethought. I wanted to try you as they try gold in a crucible. You have come out a thousand fold brighter, and I am rewarded. Can you forgive him?"

I suppose she did, for she married him, and went back into society more regal and uplifted than ever. And as marriage is the ultimatum of womanly hopes and the acme of early bliss, I presume I may leave her.

### Making Preparations for the Fatal Deed—The Secrets of John Armstrong's Sealed Abode—The Suicide's Will.

MATTEAWAN, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Forty years ago John Armstrong, of England, was brought to this country by the Matteawan Manufacturing cmopany to superintend their works. He was and always has been a bachelor, the love of his early days having been separated from him through a misunderstanding. When he reached this place he acted as a draughtsman and bookkeeper for the company, always attending to his duties faithfully and commanding esteem from his employers. He was possessed of rare intellect, and was a great admirer of machinery and philosophical works. His habits were of a very eccentric character. For twenty-one in one man, Mr. John Rothery, proprietor of the file works here. His friendship for him was of that kind which binds one man to another in adversity and misfortune.

A few weeks ago he had a conversation with Mr. Rotherly, during which he said that

HE WAS TIRED OF LIFE

and sometimes thought that when next his friend called he would not be found alive. Then it was concluded that he was laboring under temporary aberration of mind.

Monday morning at 8 o'clock, Mr. Rothery called to see him at his rooms over Mr. Davis' store. His apartments consisted of two rooms, which it is alleged no one but the deceased and Mr. Rothery had entered for twenty years. When Mr. Rothery entered them on Monday he found deceased in bed, and after a few moments' talk left him to attend to some business. At 9 A. M. persons in the vicinity heard the report of a pistol, but paid little attention to it, as the boys in the neighborhood are in the habit of firing off pistols. At 1 P. Mr. Rothery again visited his friend, when,

A HORRIBLE SIGHT MET HIS VIEW.

The following note was found pinned to the coat sleeve on his left arm:

"This is my own doing. I ought have done it before. Send my body to Dr. J. Draper, New York, for dissection, John Rother, file maker, Matteawan, is my executor, and has my will in his safe.

"JOHN W. ARMSTRONG."

Underneath the above, which was written with ink, was the following, written with a led pencil, and apparently with a trembling hand:

"Give him the little paper parcel on the table."

The parcel referred to lay upon a common table in the rooom. Upon opening it the keys to the suicide's rooms were found and a private note to Mr. Rothery. This note gave directions in relation to some unsettled bills and restated that Mr. Rothery was his executor, and would know what to do in the premises. It also showed that the suicide had been so around the day previous paying up small bills. Before the will was opened it was rumored that the dead man had

LEFT BEHIND A LARGE SUM OF MONEY,

many rating it at $60,000. It is not yet positively known how much he did leave. There are strange stories concerning his rooms. It is known that a large bag of silver has been found therein, and it is also known that, secreted in his rooms, are several closely packed and strongly locked boxes. As yet Mr. Rothery has not examined them, wishing to be sure of his full power to do so. The will, however, has been opened, and it is a curious one. It bequeaths to John Rothery all Mr. Armstrong's toolls and machinery, valued at from $4,000 to $5,000, and also all the personal property. To William Rothery it leaves

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valued at $3,00. To Mrs. Burnett, with whom he once boarded, he leaves $300 for kindness, and $50 in gold for a bottle of wine, given him by her ten years ago. He never entered a church in forty years, but believed firmly in a God. He made a will six months ago. At times he was subject to a terrible nervous headache. His funeral took place to-day, and his remains were followed to the Methodist burial ground by a number of citizens. He was 73 years old.

A witness in a case of assault and battery, when asked what he said, replied: "I sid to him wid the toe of my boot, 'go home!'"

### Copy of a Letter Written by our Blessed Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Found 18 miles from Iconium, 65 years after our Blessed Savior's Crucifixion, transmitted from the Holy City by a converted Jew; faithfully translated from the original *Hebrew* copy, now in the Lady Cuba's family of *Mesopotamia*. This Letter was written by Jesus Christ, and found under a great Stone both Round and Large, at the foot of the Cross, near a village called *Mesopotamia*, upon that stone was written and engraven, "*Blessed is he that shall turn me over.*" All people that saw it prayed to God earnestly, and desired he would make known to them the meaning of this writing, that they might not attempt in vain to turn it over. In the mean time there came a Child, about 6 or 7 years old, and turned it over without help, to the admiration of all the people that stood by; and under this stone was found a Letter written by Jesus Christ, which was carried to the City of *Iconium*, and published by a person belonging to the Lady *Cuba*. On the letter was written, the Commandment of Jesus Christ, signed by the Angel *Gabriel*, 98 years after our *Saviour's* birth. To which is added, King *Agbarus'* Letter to our Saviour, and our Saviour's answer. Also his Miracles.

COPY OF THE LETTER.

Whosoever worketh on the Sabbath Day shall be cursed: I command you to go to Church and keep the Lord's Day holy, without doing any manner of work. You shall not idly mispend your time in bedeeking yourselves with superfluities of costly apparel and vain dresses, for I have ordained it a day of rest. I will have that day kept holy, that your sins may be forgiven you: You shall not break my Commandments, but observe and keep them, written with my own hand, write them in your hearts, and steadfastly observe this was written with my own hand, spoken by my own mouth.

You shall not only go to Church yourselves, but also your Man-servants and your Maid-servants, and observe my words, and learn my commandments: You shall finish your labor every Saturday, in the afternoon, by Six o'clock, at which time the preperation for the Sabbath begins: I advise you to fast five Fridays in the year, begining with Good Friday, and to continue four Fridays immediately following, in remembrance of the Five Bloody Wounds I received for all mankind. You shall diligently and peaceably labor in your respective vocations, wherein it hath pleased God to call you. You shall love one another with brotherly love, and cause them that are not baptised to come to Church and hear the Holy Sacrament, namely, Baptism and the Lord's Supper, and be made members thereof: in so doing I will give you long life and many blessings, and your land shall replenish, and bring forth abundance. I will give you many blessings, and comfort you: the ox and the ass shall surely be cursed and unprofitable. I will also send hardness of heart upon them, till I have destsoyed them, but especially upon hardened and impenitent unbelievers..... He that hath given to the poor shall not be unprofitable. Remember to keep holy the Sabbath-day, for the seventh day I have taken to rest myself. He that hath a copy of this Letter, written with my own hand, and spoken with my own mouth, and keeps it without publishing it to others, shall not prosper, but he that publisheth it to others, shall be blessed of me, and though his sins be in number as the stars in the sky, and he believes in this, he shall be pardoned, and if he believe not this writing, and my commandments, I will send my plagues upon him, and consume both him and his children, and his cattle; and whosoever shall have a copy of this letter, and keep it in their houses, nothing shall hurt them, neither Pestilence, Lightening or Thunder shall do them any hurt. If a woman be with child and in labor, and a copy of this letter be about her, and she firmly puts her trust in me, she shall safely be delivered of her birth. You shall have no news of me, but by the Holy Spirit, until the day of Judgement. All goodness and prosperity, shall be in the house where a copy of this letter shall be found.

CHRIST'S CURES AND MIRACLES.

He cleansed a Leper by only touching him: he cured the Centurion's servant afflicted with the Palsy: Peter's Mother-in-law with a Fever: several possessed with Devils: a man sick of the palsy; raised a maid from the dead; cured two blind men; a dumb man possessed with a devil; a violent tempest stilled by him; he fed above five thousand with five loaves and two fishes; walked on the sea; cured a woman vexed with a devil, and multitudes that were lame, blind, dumb, maimed, &c, all the diseases in the land of Genesaret healed by the touch of his garment. Fed above four thousand with seven loaves and two little fishes, &c.

KING AGBARUS' LETTER TO OUR SAVIOR

I have heard of thee, and the Cures wrought by thee, without herbs or medicines. It is reported thou restorest sight to the blind, maketh the lame to walk, cleanseth the leprous, raiseth the dead, and healeth those that are tormented with diseases of a long continuance.

Having heard all this of thee, I was fully persuaded to believe one of these two things, either that thou art the very God, and camest down from heaven to do such miracles; or else that thou art the Son of God, and performest them; wherefore I have sent these lines, entreating thee to come hither and cure my disease. Besides, having heard that the Jews murmured against, and contrived to do thee mischief, I invite thee to come to my city, which is a little one indeed, but beautiful, and sufficient to entertain both.

OUR SAVIOUR'S ANSWER

Blessed art thou Agbarus, *believing in me whom thou hast not seen*; for it is written of me, that they which have seen me should believe on me, that they which have not seen me may believe and be saved. But concerning the matter thou hast written about, these are to acquaint thee, that all things for which I am sent hither, must be fulfilled, and then I shall be taken up, and return to him that sent me; but after my ascension, I will send thee one of my disciples, who shall cure thee of thy distemper, and give life to thee and to them that are with thee.

The first colord juror, impaneled at Evansville, Ind., is 109 years of age.

### First Essays.

Childhood has keen susceptibilities. The life-blood throbs through its veins one-half faster than beats the pulse of the adult teacher. The boy and the girls are eager to romp, to see, to inquire, to know, to talk. And yet the most difficult problem to solve in practical education is, How to get and to keep the attention of scholars. With the solving of this inquiry we have not at present to do, although several suggestions following may incidentally bear upon it.

Of all the unrealities of school-life which unphilosophical systems of training produce, the most glaring and vicious is that beloggedness which arises from the so-called exercise of "writing compositions." With rare exceptions, children like to chatter about what they know, or what interests them; why should they not then like to write about the same? The boy will toss himself upon the grass, and picture eagles and chariots and mountains and flying squadrons out of the clouds overhead, or he will fancy himself away as a sailor, and invent means not found in Crusoe tales to feed him on a lone island; the girl will have the best confidant in her doll, and with her will gaily entertain the largest company of emaginables that can be thought together. Children have plently of odd fancies: no fault is to be found in their eyes and ears, unless these may be sometimes thought to sharp; their imaginations are far more active than ordinary people give them credit for: their sense of the right and of the ludicrous are likely to be keener than in after-life. Images and sensations throng upon them faster than they can find use for. In the power of intuition and preception of commonplace things, childishness, with all its foibles, cannot be surpassed; in the power of aggregating, assorting, and building up these experiences into thoughts, the child finds its faculties so undeveloped that it instinctively flies from the task as a wearisome, unnatural drudgery.

And how act teachers in this matter? The art of writing well may be clearly summed up in two essentials—Ideas and Expression. The only drawback on the teaching of "writting compositions" in our schools, is that both fundamental requisites are in general violated. In a philosophical sense, children may be defined as imaginative materialists,—a term no more complicated or contradictory than themselves; they are the most thorough upholders of the real, and all their idealities are closely interwoven realities. Yet teachers—especially those who have to do with the earlier years of a scholar's moiling and grubbing after words enough to cover the allotted paper—invariably seem to imagine that children have thoughts, and they have a pet line of abstract and abstruse topics about which children know as little and care as much as the unfortunate Jellaby juveniles did about the forthcoming generation of Booriooli-Gha. Temperance, education, liberty, war, with the list of kindred subjects, are abominations to childish minds: abstractions reveals in them depths which the plummets of the world's greatest minds have failed to sound. Is it not a violation of common sense to tax a child to write a certain amount about something on which its mind is a blank, or is bewildered? The mere statement of the question seems an imposition on credulity.

This introductory suggestion on ideas, can now only be followed by a very brief hint on expression. The language of children is plain, colloquial, treating of the objects and subjects of every-day life. Yet it has little sympathy shown it in the school-room. It is partly banished from the "composition" by the abstract nature of the subjects assigned; it is wholly ignored in the studies. Saxon, the mother-tongue and the sweetest branch of our speech, should have at least as much kind treatment in our schools as the Latin and Greek languages.

These words give a few hints of what should be avoided by young writers. Perhaps they may have a suggestiveness to those who desire by practice to use their pens as naturally as their tongues.

John Jourdan, late Superintendent of Police in the city of New York, died on the 10th instant, at his residence in that city. A fearless, honest and incorruptible man, the Board of Police have but resolved truly when they assert, "the public have sustained a great and irreparable loss." For fifteen years he had performed the duties appertaining to his business, and during the whole time enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the public. He was peculiarly adapted for a detective. His memory was extraordinarily retentive, and he never forgot either a face or a fact. It is generally believed that both body and mind had been so overburdened with cares and anxieties, among which, and the most prominent, was the investigation of the Nathan murder, that they carried him to a premature grave. Mr. Jourdan's reputation was not a local one, and there is not a city in the Union but knew of him, and scarcely any that has not felt the value of his aid.

About sundown on Friday evening two young men of Alexandria, Virginia, in order to settle a difficulty that had arisen between them, armed themselves with knives, and, accompanied by some of their respective friends, repaired to the grounds around Lockaber, across the canal locks, where, having doffed their coats, they fought according to the rules in force in Western Texas previous to the war. After a prolonged conflict, during which both were cut and slashed to an extent that satisfied their friends, they were separated and carried to surgeons to have their wounds dressed. Neither of them was mortally hurt.

Hon. Henry Duck of South Carolina, who died at Saratoga last week, was formerly one of the largest planters in the South, and it was his plantation which was described at length in Edmund Kirke's "Among the Pines." He was a native of Maine.

A widow of New-Haven, who happened to marry a second time without consulting the wishes of a grown daughter, on attempting to introduce his bible into the family mansion a few nights since, was set upon with sticks and stones and compelled to fly for his life.

A "burglar in skirts" succeeded in putting to flight a Marshal and his aids, a few nights since, at Cincinnatti, by brandishing a knife in rather close proximity to their faces.

### Love and a Farm.

Quite a number of odd and amusing scenes frequently occur with parties who visit the Probate Court for the purpose of securing the necessary document to legalize their marriage. But the other day a young man, about twenty-one, accompained by one of the opposite sex equally as young, ascended the main steps of the court-house, and then, on being directed to the Probate Court, took up the line of march for its hollowed precints. Reaching, he refused to enter.

His hand did quake,
And trembling like a leaf of aspen green,
And troubled blood thro' his pale face seen
To come and go, with tiding from the heart
As it a running messenger had been.

The rustic maiden, who was very anxious to see the marriage programme carried to a successful issue, looked upon him with pleading eyes, and then, taking him by the hand in the most tender manner, beseeched him to enter the court and optain the license.

"Oh! come along Jake; what's the matter backing out?" fell in dulcet tones upon Jacob's ear.

"Melindy, I can't. The old man will give me fits if I marry you."

"Havent you told me a thousand times that you would marry me in spite of the old man?"

"Yes! yes! but there is——"

"Is what?"

"Why the farm."

"Plague take the farm."

"Yes, but, Melindy," reasoned the love, "hadn't we better wait till the old man dies, and then I'll have the farm sure?"

"Dod rot his old soul, he'll live fifty years yet; there's no die in him. Come along now and git that ere license, ain't a-going to be put off any more."

"I'll tell you what I'll do melindy."

"Well, spit her out."

"If the old man holds out again, and having you till Christmas I'll marry you then, farm or no farm."

"Sure?"

"As sure as my name's Jacob."

"Well, let her go then, till Christmas, but if you back out then, Jake, look sharp."

"I'll toe the scratch then, by jingo, if the old man runs me off the farm with a double-barreled shot-gun, certain."

And Jake looked as if he would.

Thus reassured on being married to Christmas, Melindy drew off with her Jake, fully satisfied, doubtless, with the postponement. But if

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### *THE TRUE POLICY OF OUR SOUTHERN FARMERS.*

Experience is fully demonstrating to our Southern farmers that they have made a mistake in devoting so much attention the past season to raising Cotton at the expense of the cereals. The good price the crop demanded last season tempted them to do this. Then it was profitable; but since the present crop was planted a tremendous war has been going on in Europe making it more and more certain that thousands of spindles must cease to run and that millions of people who had money to buy fabrics last year will have none this; and as a consequence cotton is down to about a shilling a pound. On the other hand, as we stated in our last, grain is looking up—will continue to do so. To those of our farmers who have neglected the raising of wheat and corn, relying exclusively upon their cotton, this will be a severe blow.

Now what has occured this year is ever liable to take place—that is, it is never safe to depend exclusively upon a single crop. No country can permanently prosper that does so. A foreign market is always a precarious one. The past season money flowed into our coffers from cotton; the coming one those who have grain to sell will reap the largest gains. Nor is this all. As before stated a community that lives by a single crop never permanently gets rich. Be the crop cotton, or wheat, or tobacco, or sugar only, it will run over a great surface with a low and exhaustive tillage. Nothing is returned to the soil for crops taken off. The land must and will run down.

Will our farmers learn wisdom? Will they continue to place confidence in a single product? Surely experience as well as common sense should teach them that their true policy is to engage in varied culture and a diversified industry.

### *NOT WELL PLEASED.*

The Democrats do not take their defeat in the late elections very kindly. They are disappointed and are disposed to feel soured. It is not much wonder. Previous to the elections the party had assumed the double role of accuser and prophet. The Republican majority in Congress and the Administration had, it said, done nothing that was good, but everything that was evil. Reconstruction was assailed, and often repudiated, the financial policy of the country was ridiculed, and, in short, there was no measure or act of the Republican Party which did not furnish the text for complaint and reproaches. Added to this were assertions that the country had lost faith in the Government and Republican leaders, and that the Democratic opportunity was at hand. There was to be a grand uprising of Democratic strength, by which the Republican majority was to be swept out of existence. And many were induced to believe all this would occur. Our readers know the result. Is it any wonder, we repeat, that these oracles should suffer in contemplating the fate of their predictions. Is it at all astonishing that they should feel terribly mortified?

### *THE DRAINAGE LAW.*

We have published several articles on the subject of Drainage. We have insisted upon the importance of having it accomplished by intelligent co-operation and under the direction of scientific experience. Under the present system very much labor and expense are thrown away,—do not accomplish any lasting beneficial results. We sometimes think that we need a Drainage law, something similar to that existing in the State of New York. The main features of this law are: When there is any low, wet land belonging to several persons that needs draining for the sake of the public health, or the benefit of agriculture, any free holder interested can petition the County Judge to have the land drained, and have the expense assessed on the property benefited. The County Judge appoints three Commissioners, one of whom shall be a civil engineer, and none of whom shall be personally interested in the work. These Commissioners, shall examine the land, and, if in their judgment the work is necessary, they have power to borrow money and commence operations at once. Now we submit whether a law of some kind, modified to meet our condition, would not operate well here? Let our land holders think of it. It would improve the sanitary condition of the country as well as enhance the value of the land.

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Senator MORTON has formally declined the Mission to England, on the ground that the Indiana Legislature, being Democratic now, would elect a Democrat to succeed him in the United States Senate, to permit which would be an impropriety on his part in connection with the interests of the Administration. The President has replied in equally friendly terms.

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Secretary BOUTWELL has stopped another leak of the public funds. He has directed that all accounts for travelling expenses of Treasury officials hereafter certify that no free passes were used, and that the amount demanded is only for actual necessary expenses.

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A Convention to inaugurate a movement in form of removing the National Capitol to the Mississippi valley was held in Cincinnati last week. It was a failure.

### *OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.*

The Public School System of North Carolina is intended to benefit and bless the people of the State. It is emphatically the poor man's friend—giving his children an equal chance for the practical education that will fit them for life's great duties. It is the rich man's friend, for in proportion as *all* the children of the commonwealth are educated, will pauperism and crime diminish, taxation for the support of Poor Houses, Jails and Courts become lighter and property be more secure. And yet what a stubborn resistance is made to the system; what a bitter prejudice exists against it. This is principally because the people do not understand it. Its friends do not sufficiently agitate it; the press takes too little pains to advocate its claims and merits—nay too many of the latter indulge in blind hap-hazard scribbling on the subject, writing of what they know not, and testifying of what they have not seen, the result of which is that false assumptions are made and the popular prejudice is not allowed to cool. And yet in spite of all this the system is slowly but surely growing in public favor. Wherever fairly tested—in every case where the officers have performed their duty—it has given so much satisfaction that many who were its opponents have become its warmest friends.

And this is all that is needed to make it universally acceptable—*give it a fair trial.* Let good men be selected as School Committee men; let them carry out the full requirements of the law; let men be fitted for the positions be appointed County Examiners; let competent teachers be employed, and the result will be to disarm prejudice, neutralize opposition and make converts of all.

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When Gen. GRANT became President the greenback dollar was worth seventy five cents, but it is now worth eighty cents, making the entire volume of our currency worth nearly one hundred million more in the pockets of the people.

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JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, the least if not the last of the Adamses, is again running for Governor on the Democratic ticket in Massachusetts. He is used to being beaten.

### From Washington.

The Secretary of War has ordered the troops from Georgia and North Carolina to the South Carolina districts reported turbulent by Gov. Scott.

The receipts from customs for the week ending 22d inst., amount to over three million dollars.

The Post Office Department sold $16, 581,000 worth of stamps and stamped envelopes and wrappers during the last fiscal year.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has reduced the number of assistant assessors 284, saving to the Government about $1,200 per day.

The Secretary of the Navy has no apprehensions as to the safety of the Shenandoah. She had orders to touch at Madeira or the Azores and proceed to her destination under sail.

A circular from the Revenue Department directs assessors to demand from liquor dealers a statement of the stock of bonded and fruit brandies on hand, outside of bonded warehouses. Imported and domestic liquors must be separated. The statement is required by the 15th of November.

The Capitol at Washington is being put in order for the coming session. An important improvement is an attempt to get rid of the foul air that accumulates in the Senate Chamber. To remedy this two large exhausting fans have been procured, which will be driven by a thirty horse power engine. Two new shafts have been constructed, communicating with the Senate chamber in such a way as it is believed will, with the use of the fans, make a complete change in the atmosphere every few minutes. A new Wilton carpet, of a neat pattern, green ground, with gold figure, has been procured for the Senate chamber. The vacant panels in the ladies' reception room are being filled by the celebrated artist Brumidi, with portraits of the Vice Presidents of the United States. In place of the carpet which has been in the Marble Room there will be five large rugs of rare design and elaborate work manship, the object being to show as much as possible of the handsome marble floor. The hall of the House of Representatives is undergoing several changes, with a view to producing better light and ventilation. The outside row of panels in the ceiling have been taken out, and will be replaced with glass plates, thus throwing additional light into the galleries. Flues with fire-places are being constructed in the cloak room, so as to carry off the vitiated air of the hall, and other changes are being made to improve the ventilation.

### Foreign War News.

From the papers of the 25th we learn that the recent disposition of Great Britain to interfere in the interests of peace, has created strong suspicions of her motives in the public mind at Tours, and arguments are put forth in the journals to show that her motives are not as pure as they appear. Some of them even accuse her of acting in the interest and at the suggestion of Prussia. Fears are also expressed that the design in this peace movement is to re-establish the Bonapartist dynasty. A London dispatch gives currency to the belief that Prussia is willing to give up spoliation from France, receiving instead the Duchy of Luxembourg, and the people of the Duchy are vigorously preparing to defend their neutrality. The determination of the French Government to yield no part of French soil is reiterated.

The journals of Tours gave recently an account of the massacre of the prisoners taken at Soissons, by the Germans, in cold blood. A St. Quentin dispatch says that a mutiny had occurred among the prisoners, when seven of them were killed and three wounded. The same dispatch says that St. Quentin has been evacuated by the Germans and the siege of La Ferte abandoned, and that the Duke of Mecklenburg is returning to Paris. The people of Ivry la Battaille in the Department of Eure, consisting of old men, women and children, arose against the Prussians, and a fight occured in which many were killed on both sides. A recent sortie by the Verdun garrison resulted in the capture of two mortars and twenty-two cannons. A Brussels dispatch says that although the truce at Mezieres has expired, all is still quiet there. The desertions from Metz are so numerous that the Prussians have refused to permit the deserters to enter their lines. The German Army occupying Orleans numbers 25,000, with sixty pieces of artillery. They continue to make fresh requisitions from the citizens. The French Army on the Loire is said to be in motion, and an early result is promised. It is believed that an attempt to recapture the city will be made. The Prussian commandant has posted placards about the city informing the people that the French Government is their enemy and the Prussians their friends.

From the papers of the 26th we see that A special dispatch from Berlin to the London *Times* says the latest negotiations for peace have failed, because Prussia persists in demanding the cession of French territory. That journal, in advising the British Government to make no further efforts for peace, says that if it persists it must be ready to stake something on it. The London *Standard* says that negotiations are in progress between the King of Prussia and the Ex-Empress Eugenie, with a view to the return of the latter to France to resume the Regency and make peace, and that her departure for France may occur at any moment. The Berlin *Gazette* says the Government is led to consider the attempts at negotiation by its desire to avoid further sacrifice of life. Negotiations for the surrender of Metz make slow progress. Bazaine, it is said, ignores the Provisional Government in his communications. M. Thiers has accepted the mission to negotiate an armistice, but remains at Tours awaiting a safe conduct to Paris to consult with the Government there.

The town of Schlestadt, between Strasbourg and Colmar, on the railroad running south to Mulhouse and Besancon, capitulated to the Prussians on the 23d inst., after a severe bombardment. The Germans captured 2,400 prisoners and 120 cannon. A Brussels dispatch says 2,000 Frenchmen, from Thionville, have gone to the relief of Verdun. On Friday night the Germans attempted to bombard the place, but a sortie by the garrison disconcerted their arrangements. Two bodies of the beseigers, mistaking each other for enemies fought for hours, inflicting heavy losses on each other. Advices by the way of Tours continue to represent the garrison of Paris as persistently harassing the besiegers by night sorties, and a resident of Versailles says that the Franes-Tireurs kill many Prussians even in that vicinity. Bishop McIlvaine, of Ohio, in a letter to the London *Times*, solicits aid for Americans in Paris to be sent through Sir Curtis Lamson, who remains there.

From the papers of the 27th we learn that the country outside the walls of Paris for miles is desolate. The Prussians have removed the art treasures from Sevres to Versailles. Gen. Von Moltke celebrated his seventieth birthday yesterday at Versailles. Attempts are being made by the French authorities to communicate with Paris by balloon. One set out recently, but was damaged against a tree. Another, with important dispatches, will again attempt to visit the capital. Subscriptions for the French loan have been opened in seventy of the eighty-nine Departments, the other nineteen being occupied by the Germans. A thousand stoves have been ordered for the huts of German armies about Metz. The negotiations for the capitulation of Metz are said to be still in progress. The reports of military operations are contradictory, both sides claiming successes in the East. No new movement of importance has taken place on the Loire. Belgium is again sending troops to the frontier.

Herr Jacoby, the German Republican, and seven other political prisoners have been set at liberty by the Prussian Government. The elections for the new Prussian Diet will be held on the 9th and and 16th of November.

In the papers of the 28th a Berlin telegram announces that the King of Prussia has informed the Queen that Marshal Bazaine and Metz capitulated yesterday morning, the army and garrison 150,000 in number, include 20,000 sick and wounded. A Tours dispatch, giving the story of an escaped officer from Metz, shows that nothing of the surrender was known or published in that city. Fighting was reported to be in progress yesterday at Orleans. Troops are moving forward rapidly from Tours. Dispatches from Lyons report a decided halt in the Prussian advance in the Eastern Departments.

A St. Petersbuug dispatch gives a summary of the negotiations by neutrals for an armistice, from which it appears that Russia, on Jules Favre's visit to the Prussian head-quarters, thought the opportunity of neutrals to mediate had arrived; but on receiving Count Bismarck's note on the subject of the probable early starvation of Paris, the idea of neutrals changed. When the subject of mediation was again pressed, Russia held back, for the reason that mediation without force would be worthless. The belligerents alone could determine the conditions of peace. The Manchester *Guardian*, of yesterday, contains what purports to be the terms of peace proposed by England, Russia and Austria, of which no occasion of territory, the razing of the fortifications of Metz and Strasbourg, and France to pay 200,000,000, francs indemnity, are the points, the peace to be guaranteed by the neutrals. The Russian Minister at Tours has received a dispatch from Versailles assuring him that a safe conduct will be granted to M. Thiers, and that the King of Prussia shows a desire to accept the mediation of the neutral Powers. The people of the Departments of Jura and Vosges have petitioned the Provisional Government not to accept peace based on the surrender of French territory. A London dispatch says that Greece has recognized the French Republic.

The new director of the Public Safety in France has ordered the trial as traitors of all who willingly and for profit furnish provisions to the enemy, and M. Gambetta has issued a circular, impressing on the Mayors the imperative duty of defending every town. Persons desirous of sending letters to Paris are informed in Tours that they may send them to the Prefecture, as the blockake of Paris is to be broken. Affairs have become more orderly in Marseilles; the suppressed journals have been permitted to reappear.

We learn from the papere of the 29th that the capitulation of Metz was signed on Thursnay night, and the Germans march in to-day. The captures embrace 173,000 prisoners of war, of whom three are Marshals of France, and 9,000 officers of the various other grades. In Berlin and throughout Germany the rejoicing is great. A dispatch from Berlin says that the French had rejected the proposed armistice, but that the surrender of Metz would lead them to reconsider this decision. The Berlin *Anzeiger* says that having regained the strongest point on the line of the Moselle, Germany must keep it. Rumor of the defeat of a German corps, between Beaugency and Montheliard, comes by way of London. Operations against isolated parties of Prussians and transportation corps, by the Franes-Tireurs, are reported, with success to the latter. Heavy rifle firing is reported to have been heard in Paris in the direction of La Villette and Montmartre,. Dispatches from Versailles say the Germans were not yet ready to begin the bombardment. They also state that in the action of the 21st inst. Sixty-five battallions took part. The sick and wounded of both nations about Versailles number 2,000. The forts of Vauves, Montrage and Bicetre have been connected by strong earthworks. The Germans have taken the first direct step in the movement on Lyons, it is thought, in moving from Vesoul to Gray-surasdan. The German Court of Inquiry has acquited the French commandment of responsibility for the blowing up of the citadel of Laon. The french Government has, by decree, established trial by jury in all cases. The health of Napoleon's said not to be good at Willhemshoehe, and a southern climate, that of Elba, is suggested as favorable for his condition.

From the papers of the 31st we learn that the Provisional Government has issued a proclamation to the French people denouncing the surrender of Metz as an act of treason, and urging the French to renewed efforts. The surrender of Metz in Tours has excited indignation among the majority, who ascribe it to political influences. The army of the Loire, which had been largely increased, was cheeked in its operations. The *Constitutionnel* appeals to Gambetta to consent to an armistice, and order an immediate election for members of the Constituent Assembly. The French troops surrendered at Metz have been disarmed, according to a London telegram, and the officers have been refused parole, on account of Gen. Ducrot's alleged violation of parole. It is estimated that the Germans have captured 320,000 French prisoners. The King of Prussia has conferred upon the Crown Prince and Prince Frederick Charles the batons of Field-Marshal, on the surrender of the second of the two armies which marched against Germany—the first instances, the King says, of such appointments in his family history. M Thiers has declined a safe conduct to Paris, it is said, because he should have to go by way of Versailles.

The statement has been received at Washington, from an official source, that Bismarck does not consider Lord Granville's note as a proposition for an armistice; and that he thinks the proposition should come from France. A London dispatch says that M. Thiers has reached Lyons, and has safe conduct to enter Paris. Gen. Sheridan is going to Italy, and perhaps to Constantinople. He has informed one of our correspondents that he has never written a line regarding the war, except confidentially, and all statements of his views are wholly unauthorized. He says the time has not yet come for him to speak. The balloon post from Paris has entirely ceased. There is no confirmation of the rumored revolution within the city or fighting at La Villette. It is said that Paris is but little changed. A few large shops are closed, but beyond this nothing extraordinary is noticeable. The last summons to surrender Paris has been forwarded to the military authorities within the city, it is reported, and if not answered the bombardment will begin early this week.

The authorities of Berlin have been notified from Belgium that twelve French men-of-war have left Dunkirk going north. In consequence of this the river entrances and coasts on the North and Baltic Seas have been placed in a state of defense.

### General Summary.

The prisoners confined in the Minnesota State Jail danced and sung, the other day, to disarm suspicion, while eight of their number contrived to escape.

A gentleman of Barbour County, Ala., who has a prejudice against the ordinary mode of burial, has ordered a marble coffin for his remains.

Sheriff in Minnesota was called upon, last week, to perform the very disagreeable duty of arresting his own son, and lodging him in prison, for murdering a prominent citizen.

The club-room lately established at Boston, under the auspices of Miss. Jennie Colins, for the benefit of the working girls of that city, has been named "Bofinnsbower."

Within a period of three years, three men and three horses have been killed on the same day of the month, at the same hour, and on the same section of the Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad.

The Montreal *Gazette* thinks it is wrong to suppose that the erection of certain defensive works at that city by the Canadian Government is demanded by Mr. Gladstone.

The Methodists, in convention at Philadelphia on Thursday, among other resolutions adopted one deploring the growing sentiment among young men in large cities that wealth is the great object of life.

A smart woman has been engaged, at Nashua, N. H., for sometime past, in selling several hundred dollars worth of molasses and water as a valuable chemical mixture for the removal of warts, pimples, corns and moles.

The Governor and Council have appointed the following gentlemen directors on the Western Division of the Western N. C. Railroad: J. J. Mott, W. W. Rollins, J. R. Ammons, Pinckney, Rollins, W. L. Henson, R. M. Henry, and Jos. C. Abbott.

One hundred well-armed and disguised men in Orange County, Ind., took two prisoners from the Sheriff and his posse, and hanged them to the rafters of a covered bridge, on Sunday night last. The prisoners were a portion of a gang who had robbed an Orange County farmer a week before.

Advices from South America via Lisbon, to the 8th inst., are at hand. Lopez Jordon had again been defeated by the forces of the Argentine Republic. The Brazilian Cabinet had undergone a reconstruction, and a moderately conservative Ministry was in power. A measure relating to emancipation is among the reforms promised.

The steam-ship *Cambria*, of the Anchor line, which left New-York, on the 8th inst., for Glasgow, struck on Innishtrahuil Island, off the North coast of Ireland, on the 19th inst., and became a total wreck. A seaman who was picked up in a boat, in which also was the corpse of a young girl, states that four ohter boats left the wreck, but thay had not been heard from at the date of the latest advices. His boat had been upset several times, and all but himself drowned.

The First National Bank of Grafton, Worcester County, Mass., was entered on Tuesday night by burglars, who after gagging and handcuffing the watchman, robbed the bank of between $200,000 in treasure and valuables, $100,000 of which was in Government bonds. They worked several hours at the safe, tearing away the bricks around it. There were five of them in the bank, but they pretended to the watchman there were twelve. They stole a horse and wagon, which was found in Worcester yesterday morning. The bank offers $10,000 for the capture of the thieves and recovery of the money, and one of the directors offers $5,000 more.

A bank check for $500, which has had a curious history. was sent to the Treasury Department at Washington, a short time since It was taken from the body of a murdered Texan cattle-drover, several years ago, by Indians, who in consequence of the variety of colors in the rich engravings, attached some special importance to it, and cut the paper into several pieces, dividing them among the tribe. A Peace Commissioner finally persuaded the gentle savages to give up the pieces, and he pasted them together, and forwarded the check—now complete to Washington.


"John," said a poverty-stricken man to his son, "I've made my will to-day." "Ah!" replied John, "you were liberal to me, no doubt." "Yes, John; I came down handsome. I've willed you the whole State of Virginia—to make a living in, with the privilege of going elsewhere if you can do better."

It is related that soon after war was declared, one of Bismarck's friends said to him: "But, my dear Count, think of the fearful loss of life this war is going to superinduce." "Ah, my boy, the world, though many thousand years old, has not yet discovered the art of making an omelet without breaking eggs!

$1,000 Reward is offered by the proprietor of Dr. Pierce's Alt. Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery, for a medicine that will equal in the cure of all severe lingering Coughs, Liver Complaint and all diseases arising from impurity of the blood, as Eruptions, Pimples, Blotches and Boils. Sold by druggists. Pamphlet sent free. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce Buffalo N. Y.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOMES, HEALTH, HAPPINESS, How to be obtained for five dollars! Plantations, Farms, Villa Sites and Town Lots, at The Great Premium Land Sale, Aiken, S. C. The "Saratoga of the South." 58 hours from N. Y. The most delightful climate in the world. Free from the rigors of Northern winters, exempt from throat Diseases. Vineyards and orchards in full bearing. For descriptive pamphlet, address, with stamp, J. C. DERBY, Augusta, Ga.

$25 A WEEK SALARY! Young men wanted as local and travelling salesmen. Address (with stamp) R. H. WALKER, 34 Park Row, N. Y.

ROYAL HAVANA LOTTERY. Prizes cashed and information furnished by GEORGE UPHAM, Providence, R. I.

STAMMERING, Cured by Bates Appliances. For description address Simpson & Co., Box 5076, N. Y.

SEWING-MACHINES. Agents Wanted. Salary $10,000 per year. Circulars and samples of work free. Address CRYSTAL SEWING MACHINE Co., Boston Mass.

$1000 PER WEEK. Can be made by parties who are wide-awake, without interfering with other business. Address GEO. W. WINSLOW, 68 Broadway, N. Y.

A MYSTERY SOLVED. Fifteen Minutes' Private Conversation with Married Ladies by one of their number. Sent free for two stamps. Address Mrs. H. METZGER, Hanover, Pa.

AGENTS WANTED In all parts of the United States, to sell A. H. NELSON & CO.'S *ALUMINUM GOLD JEWELRY!* Agents are making $200 to $300 per week selling the Aluminum Jewelry. The best imitation of gold ever introduced. It has the exact color, which it always retains, and stands the tests of the strongest acids. No one can tell it from gold only by weight—the Aluminum Gold being about 1-4 lighter. A. H. NELSON & Co., are selling their goods for 1-10 the price gold jewelry is sold for, and on most liberal terms to agents—1-4 cash, balance in 30, 60 and 90 days. We send persons, wishing to act as agents, a full and complete assortment of goods, consisting of Seals, Bracelets, Lockets, Ladies' and Gent's Chains, Pins, Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, &c, for $100—$25 to be paid when the goods are received, the other $75 in 30, 60 and 90 days. Parties wishing to order goods and act as agents will address A. H. NELSON & CO., 40 & 42 Broadway, N. Y. 19—4t.

WESTERN BEST STORY PAPER $5 Prize to every subscriber. Send stamp for Prize Circular and Specimen. J. R. ELLIOTT, Publisher, Boston, Mass. 19—4w.

A PURE CHINESE BLACK TEA WITH GREEN TEA FLAVOR. Warranted to Suit all Tastes. 4w—61

LIVE AGENTS WANTED FOR *WOMEN OF NEW YORK*, OR SOCIAL LIFE IN THE GREAT CITY. Wonderful developments among the aristocracy. Married Women exposed, &c., &c. Price $3.25. The best Book to sell published. The best terms to Agents ever given. Address, N. Y. Book Co., 145 Nassau St. N. Y. 19—4w.


State of North Carolina } Attachment.
Pasquotank county. }
Charles Fearing and } Pltiff's.
James Fearing. }
vs
Hiram White Deft.

Hiram White the defendant in the above cause will hereby take notice that an attachment retained before me and there being no property to be levied upon, a garnishment was returned against C. B. Brothers and G. M. Jennings, on which there is conditional judgment for the sum of Twenty-five dollars, all of which is condemned to the use of the Plaintiffs, to be made absolute and final at the end of thirty days from the date hereof unless the defendant replevy or appear and answer the Plaintiff according to law. Dated this the 28th day of October, A. D. 1870, and which is ordered to be published in the North Carolinian a newspaper published in the town of Elizabeth City for three weeks.

G. W. COBB, J. P.

Pasquotank county, In the Probate Court.
T. J. Murden and Wm. Turner, Pltiffs.
against
James W. Hinton, Admr. James Banks deft.

CITATION FOR FINAL ACCT.

This cause coming on to be heard and upon motion it is ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a News Paper published in Elizabeth City, N. C., for twenty-five days commencing from this date, Oct., 27th 1870 notifying the defendant J. W. Hinton that he is required to make his personal appearance before this Court on the 21st day of November 1870 and fill his final account for settlement of the Estate of James Banks deceased

W. E. VAUGHAN, C. S. C.


ARE YOU INSURED? SECURITY AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE. *NORTH CAROLINA HOME* INSURANCE COMPANY. Principal Office—One door South of the Raleigh National Bank. *RALEIGH, N. C.* R. H. BATTLE, President. REV. W. E. PEEL, Vice President. SEATON GALES, Secretary. W. H. MURDOCH, Ass't Sec'y and local agent.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### BANKRUPT NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 25th day of October 1870, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Moses Jackson, of Perquimans county, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M.

S. T. CARROW, *U. S. Marshal.*
Jos. Z. PRATT, *Deputy, U. S. M. as Messenger.* 19—3.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 25th day of October A. D. 1870, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Andrew Gunter of ——— county, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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RUFUS K. SPEED, Life and Fire Insurance Agent, North American Mutual Life Insurance Co., 17 and 19 Warren St., New York. Capital $5,500,000. $1,350,000 on deposit with the State of New York for security of Registered Policies. All Policies *now issued* by the North America are registered free of charge to the Policy-holder. Every Registered Policy has upon its face the Seal of the State of New York, with a certificate that *it is* "secured by Pledge of Public Stocks or Bonds and Mortgages." Registry makes the claim a certainty.

Farmers and Mechanics Life Insurance Co., 49 Wall St. New York. Young, Vigorous, Healthy. Issues all desirable forms of Policies at remarkably reasonable rates.

P. S. Mr. L. C. Dashiell will attend to my Insurance business during my absence this Winter.

Nov. 10th, 1870.

IMPORTANT NOTICE. TO CONSUMERS OF DRY GOODS. ALL RETAIL ORDERS AMOUNTING TO $20 AND OVER DELIVERED IN ANY PART OF THE COUNTRY, FREE OF EXPRESS CHARGES. HAMILTON EASTON & SONS, OF BALTIMORE, MD., In order the better to meet the wants of their Retail Customers at a distance, have established a *SAMPLE BUREAU*, and will, upon application, *promptly send by mail* full lines of Samples of the Newest and most Fashionable Goods, of FRENCH, ENGLISH and DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE, guaranteeing at all times to sell *as low*, if not at *less prices*, than any house in the country.

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Oct. 27th,-70—1y.

SEASON OF 1870-71. Mason & Hamlin Cabinet Organs. **Important Improvements.** *Patented June 21st, and August 23, 1870.* *REDUCTION OF PRICES.* The Mason & Hamlin Organ Co., have the pleasure of announcing important improvements in their Cabinet Organs, for which Patents were granted them in June and August last. These are not merely meretricious attachmsnts, but enhance the substantial excellence of the instruments.

They are also enabled by increased facilities or manufacture, to make, from this date, a further reduction of prices on several leading styles.

Having completed and added to their former facilities a large new manufactory, they hope hereafter to supply all orders promptly.

The Cabinet Organs made by this Company are of such universal reputation, not only throughout America, but also in Europe, that few will need assurance of their superiority.

They now offer FOUR OCTAVE CABINET ORGANS, in quite plain cases, but equal according to their capacity to anything they make, for $50 each. The SAME, DOUBLE REED, $65. FIVE OCTAVE DOUBLE REED ORGANS, FIVE STOPS, with Knee swell and Tremulant, in elegant case, with several of the Mason & Hamlin improvements, $125. The same Extra, with new Vox Humana, Automatic Swell, &c., $160. FIVE OCTAVES THREE SETS REEDS, SEVEN STOPS with EUPHONE; a splended instrument, $225.

A new illustrated catalogue with full information, and reduced prices, is now ready, and will be sent free, with a testimonial circular, presenting a great mass of evidence as to the superiority of these instruments, to any one sending his address to the MASON & HAMLIN ORGAN CO., 154 Tremont Street, Boston, or 596 Broadway, New York. 19—4w.

A CARD. Clergyman, while residing in South America as a missionary, discovered a safe and simple remedy for the Cure of Nervous Werkness, Early Decay, Diseases of the Urinary and Seminal Organs, and the whole train of disorders brought on by baneful and vicious habits. Great numbers have been cured by this noble remedy. Prompted by a desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate, I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a sealed envelope, to any one who needs it, *Free of charge.* Address JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D. Bible House, New York City.

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**Descriptive Priced Catalogues** Of Hardy Flowering Bulbs, for Fall Planting, ready Sept. 1st: of Gladiolus, Dahlias and other Bulbs, for Spring Planting, with complete lists of All kinds of FLOWER, VEGETABLE AND TREE SEEDS, will be ready about January 1st. Of FRUIT and ONAMENTAL TREES and NURSERY STOCK GENERALLY. ALWAYS READY. *HERENDEEN & CO., Geneva, N. Y.,* 16—tf. GROWERS, IMPORTERS AND DEALERS.

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$2000 *per year* and expenses guaranteed to all ambitious men and women selling our world renowned patent *Silver Mould Wire Clothes Lines.* For full particulars aadress the GIRARD WIRE MILLS, PHIL. PA. 4w.—D. & CO.

THE MAGIC COMB. Will change any colored hair or beard to a permanent black or brown. It Contains *no poison.* Anyone can use it. One sent by mail for $1. Address *MAGIC COMB CO.* Springfield, Mass. 3m.—D. & CO.

WANTED AGENTS.—To sell the *Octagon Sewing Machine.* It is *licensed*, makes the "Elastic Lock Stitch" and is warranted for 5 years. Price $15. All other machines with an under-feed sold for $15 or less are infringements. Address OCTAGON SEWING MACHINE CO., St. Louis, Mo., Chicago, Ill., Pittsburgh, Pa., or Boston, Mass. 8w.—D. & CO.

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WANTED AGENTS.—To sell the *Home Shuttle Sewing Machine.* Price, $25. It makes the "Lock Stitch" (alike on both sides) and is the only licensed under-feed Shuttle Machine sold for less than $60. Licensed by Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker and Singer & Co. All other under-feed Shuttle Machines sold for less than $60 are infringements, and the seller and user liable to prosecution. Address JOHNSON, CLARK & CO., Boston, Mass., Pittsburgh, Pa

# NORTH CAROLINIAN.

THURSDAY, NOVEBER 3, 1870.


*THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.*

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.
New York Advertisements.
Court Notices.
Insurance Notices.
Bankrupt Notices.

## Local and Personal.

☞ Continuing pleasant—the weather.

☞ Still arriving—visitors from the North.

☞ Several new buildings are in the course of erection. Many more are needed.

☞ Our "Imp" says you can't marry a-miss if you marry a widow. Wonder if the idea was original with him?

☞ Messrs. J. Q. ETHERIDGE & BRO., are receiving their new and large stock of Drugs. Thanks for their many kindnesses to the CAROLINIAN office.

☞ T. R. JERNIGAN, Esq., member elect to the coming General Assembly from Hertford county has sent in his resignation to the Governor.

☞ A learned doctor has given his opinion that tight-lacing is a benefit, inasmuch as it kills off all the foolish girls and leaves the wise ones to grow into women.

☞ JOHN H. RENFROW, Esq., one of recently elected members to the Legislature from Halifax county has resigned Being a Mail Route Agent, he prefers to retain the position.

☞ The schooner Intrepid, bound to the West Indies, was caught in a severe gale on the 23d ult. She will start again as soon as a few necessary repairs can be done.

☞ Still in bloom—the flower gardens in our City. Some of them are really grand. To those who love the beautiful in nature such sights are

"——a pleasure and delight."

☞ Our "Devil" is getting sentimental. He says that a nice girl is an essay on grace, in one volume, elegantly bound. He thinks every fellow should have a copy! Jes so.

☞ A young lady of our town has been accused of saying that if a cart has nine *fellows* attached to it, its a pity that a woman like her can't have one. Boys, what are you holding back for?

☞ Unless you wish a premeture death you will let all the *poisonous* hair preparation alone. NATURE'S HAIR RESTORATIVE is perfectly harmless as any druggist will tell you. See advertisement.

☞ MRS. LABOYTAUX has recently returned from the North with a large and complete stock of Milinery goods. Let the old and young alike give her a call. There are many pretty things at her store, some prehaps that would not be sold, but nevertheless valuable.

☞ We contiuue to receive inquiries from Northern readers of our paper whether the properties for sale are all disposed of, as they now see so few advertised. We answer: there are still a number of desirable properties for sale. Parties interested would do well to announce them through the NORTH CAROLINIAN.

☞ We clip the following from the last number of the Wellsboro, Pa., *Agitator*. Mr. SMITH is a prominent lawyer in Northern Pennsylvania, is a man of decided ability and indomitable enterprise. We welcome him and his family to our City.

W. H. Smith, Esq., of this place, is making preparations to visit North Carolina again. We fear that country has so great attraction for him that he will ultimately settle there. No place can well afford to lose such men as Mr. Smith.

☞ We would call especial attention to the card of Dr. RUFUS K. SPEED in to-days issue. The Doctor commends his old Company, the North America, to the favorable consideration of the insuring public by reason of its large deposit, $1,350,000, with the State of New York for the special security of 8,500 registered Policies, which amount is increased by every new policy issued, making each Policy a certainty, and his new Company, the Farmers and Mechanics, because it is *safe*, and affords large assurance for small premiums. Call and see the Doctor or his assistant, Mr. L. C. Dashiell, and they will guarantee you comfort while you live and your families competency when you are gone.

☞ A gentleman whose good opinion we highly value writes us fully endorsing our views, frequently expressed in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, upon personalities and vituperation in journalism. We have had some fourteen years experience in the profession and in that time we think we have learned *some* things. In our first years of editorial conflict we always yielded to the impulse, when struck, to strike back with the same weapons used against us. We have received and given hard blows, and though we generally came off victor, we by no means refer back to those bitter articles with the most satisfaction. It afforded a temporary gratification to vanquish a blackguard assailant it is true, but the pleasure was neutralized when we found we had soiled our hands in doing so. We know that it requires courage to refrain from retorting to personal abuse and billings gate, but the editor should remember his responsibilities—the duty he owes to himself as well as his patrons; that indulging in such warfare is degrading; that it demoralizes his young readers and disgusts the better class. Experience has taught us that the most effectual way to silence an offensively vulgar assailant is to treat him with silent contempt. Meet argument with argument; combat error with truth; expose untenable assumptions to criticism, satire or ridicule if occasion demands, but be drawn down into the mire of personal abuse, *never!*

☞ Choice York State Butter and Cheese at the "Yankee Store."

☞ We regret to learn the death of our old and much respected citizen, Mr. WM. DAVIS. He was admired by all that knew him.

☞ Post-office Money Orders may be obtained at nearly every county-seat, in all the cities, and in many of the large towns. We consider them perfectly safe, and the best means of remitting fifty dollars or less, as thousands have been sent to us *without any loss*.

☞ What you can't find anywhere else go to the "Yankee Store" and ask for it. *

☞ There are two prominent classes of men in every community—we have their representatives in Elizabeth City—the one *goes ahead* and does something, while the other sits back and grumbles because it was not done in some other way. Reader, to which class do you belong?

☞ 100 bbls Flour just received at the "Yankee Store." *

☞ We publish a letter on our outside said to have been written by our Savior Jesus Christ. It was furnished us by Mr. W. B. SHEPARD, of Raleigh, N. C., who obtained it while traveling in the Eastern countries. Mr. S. thinks of making this county his permanent home.

☞ We would call attention to the advertisement of the North Carolina Home Insurance Company, of Raleigh. We consider it a first class North Carolina institution. We practice what we preach. Our office is insured in it. We are informed that it has just paid Mr. W. H. LYON $270 for loss by fire some four weeks ago. It adjusts equitably and pays promptly.

☞ Experience proves that the farmer who raises his wheat, his corn, his stock and his pork at home, succeeds better than the one who only raises cotton or corn. This argument for a mixed husbandry is equally strong for a mixed industry, and the country that manufactures every article which its resources and soil adapt it for, is richer, more prosperous, and more powerful than the one which confines its industry to the manufacture of but one article.

☞ Registered Letters, under the new system, which went into effect Oct. 1, 1868, are a very safe means of sending small sums of money where P. O. Money Orders cannot be easily obtained. *Observe*, the *Registry fee*, as well as postage, *must be paid in stamps* at the office where the letter is mailed, or it will be liable to be sent to the Dead-Letter Office. *Buy and affix the stamps both for postage and registry, put in the money, and seal the letter in the presence of the postmaster, and take his receipt for it.* Letters thus sent to us are at our risk.

☞ Attention ladies! Go to the "Yankee Store" and see the splendid assortment of Dress Goods and Trimings. *

☞ Some time ago, we think it was in the latter part of June, we published a statement that our friend C. W. HOLLOWELL, Esq., had dug a crop of Irish Potatoes and planted the same ground with Sweet Potatoes. Feeling curious to know the result of the second crop, and indeed the profits of the whole, after having dug the latter he has prepared for us a statement from which we gather the following facts. They may be relied on for in all his statements and operations Mr. HOLLOWELL is careful, accurate and reliable. On the 14th of February 1870 he planted three quarters of an acre of ground with the "Early Rose" variety of Irish Potatoes. On the 14th of June he dug 75 bushels, 70 bushels of which he sold in Baltimore for *Eighty dollars*. He estimates the cost of the crop as follows:

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| Manure (stable) | $10.00 |
| Seed Potatoes | 18.00 |
| Labor | 5.00 |
| Expense of sending to Market | 20,00 |
| | $53.00 |

thus leaving a nett profit of *Twenty-seven dollars* besides the five bushels used. Then on the 14th of June he planted the same land in Sweet Potato Sprouts. The succeeding dry weather prevented a full stand—only about two thirds of them grew. On the 25th of October he dug 200 bushels of very fine potatoes, the largest weighing over *four pounds* each; These in this market are worth *Seventy-five dollars*. The expense was, for the sprouts $4.00, and for the labor $5.00—total $9.00 thus making the nett profit of the Sweet Potato crop to be *Sixty-six dollars*; or the nett profit of the three fourths of an acre this year *Ninety-three dollars!* The ground used is ordiuary farming land, having been cultivated in corn, year after year, for at least half a century, yielding an average of 25 bushels per acre. It is not any better than the average land of this country. Mr. HOLLOWELL has three thousand acres just as good. Such land can be purchased at from $10 to $30 per acre, according to the improvements.

☞ The best assortment of Cloth and Casimere at the "Yankee Store." *

In the window of a well-known book store in Boston is a placard, which reads: "Our Christian Friends—reduced from six to two dollars."

A Kansas lady, on retiring to her room one night found it filled with martins, which had flown in during her absence. Instead of heartlessly turning them out into the cold, the kind-hearted lady captured all the little creatures and had them served up the next day in a pot-pie.

A melancholy scene was witnessed at the railroad depot in Oshkosh, Wis., the other evening. A young man who had left the city four days previously on his wedding tour, had returned with the dead body of his bride, and was assisting to remove it from the train to a hearse.

A Young German at San Francisco, finding that the object of his heart's dearest affection would not listen to a proposition of marriage, procured an old pistol, which he filled with powder and paper, and discharged at her, with the view of winning her over to his way of thinking; but the young lady took it as a genuine attempt to murder her, and had him committed to await the action of the Grand Jury.

A lady in Syracuse is said to rest her head on a grammar while sleeping, in order that she may dream correctly.

An Indiana husband has petitioned for a divorce, on the ground that his wife will not allow him to live at home.

The *Woman's Advocate* thinks the good time will have come when a hard-working farmer shall say to his wife, "Sally, you must take time to post yourself on governmental affairs."

The Charleston *Courier* says that a young widow of that place has just celebrated her wooden wedding by marrying a blockhead.

An urchin being rebuked for wearing out his stockings at the toes, replied that it couldn't be helped—"toes wriggled and heels didn't."

A fortunate lady, Youngman by name, now a resident of Lee County, Illinois, has fallen heir to an estate in Scotland, worth $2,500,000.

A man in Iowa put an end to his life from excessive grief, caused by the failure of a railroad company to run their line through his property.

An old, dilapidated bank note is going around with a piece of yellow paper pasted on the back of it, on which is written in a bold, free hand, "Go it, Bill; I'll back you!"

A Mexican horse-breaker, at Omaha, attempted to commit suicide, the other day, by drinking two ounces of chloroform, because his employer refused to settle a claim of $300.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PENDLETON'S HOTEL, T D PENDLETON, Pro'r.

T A Moore, Edenton; Col T W Hugins, Edenton; W A Whithurst, South Mills; Wm Vasser, Roanoke Island; A L Pendleton, Col D McLindsey, Currituck; R Liegh, Pasquotank; John W Deitts, Baltimore; N B Church, Gen H L Sprulill, Pasquotank; W Corry Norfolk.

PENNSYLVANIA HOUSE.

Mr Sanders, Washington; Mr Bosworth and family, Pa; Mr Smith, Pa; Mr Talbert, Inda; Mr O C Llewellyn Pa;

## Temperature at Elizabeth City

*For the week ending Oct. 20.*

REPORTED BY J. G. RUSSELL.

Thermometer on Oct., 20th 74° in shade.
Oct. 28nd—43°
Average of the week taken three times a day—at 6 A. M. and 2 and 7 o'clock, P. M 60⅔

## THE MARKETS.

### Elizabeth City Prices Current.

REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE NORTH CAROLINIAN.

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| Beef Hams—Dried, ℔ lb. | 30 |
| " Fresh " | 10 @ 15 |
| Bacon...Clear side ℔ lb | 20 |
| " Rib side | 18 |
| " Shoulder | 16 |
| " Hams, country | 18 @ 20 |
| " " sugar cured | 20 @ 22 |
| Butter—Country | 25 @ 30 |
| " N.Y. State | 45 @ 50 |
| Beeswax—℔ lb | 25 @ 30 |
| Beans...white Navy, | 2.50 @ 2.75 |
| Cement—℔ bbl., | 3.00 |
| Corn—new, ℔ bu. | 90 |
| Cheese—℔ lb. | 25 |
| Chickens—Spring ℔ pair | 40 @ 50 |
| Cotton yarn—℔ block | 2,00 |
| " in seed, ℔ lb. | 4c @ 4½ |
| " in bale, | 15c @ 16 |
| " in lint, | 14c @ 15 |
| Peaches—Dried, ℔ lb | 20 |
| Eggs—℔ doz. | 15 |
| Flour—Super. ℔ bbl. | 6,00 @ 7,00 |
| " Extra | 7,00 @ 8,00 |
| " Family | 8,50 @ 9,50 |
| Blue Fish 10 ℔ bls | 6,00 @ 7,00 |
| " Herring ℔ bbl | 10,00 |
| " " gross ℔ 1000 | 8,00 @ 12,00 |
| " " dried " | 12,00 @ 15,00 |
| Feathers—℔ lb | 25 @ 60 |
| Flaxseed—℔ bu | 175 @ 185 |
| Hides—Dry ℔ lb | 12 @ 13 |
| " Green | 5 @ 6 |
| Iron...Old cast ℔ cwt. | 50 @ 60 |
| " Wrought " | 1,00 @ 1,10 |
| Lard—℔ lb | 20 @ 25 |
| Lumber—Heart pine ℔ 1000ft | 18,00 @ 22,00 |
| " Cypress " | 18,00 @ 20,00 |
| " Sap " | 10,00 @ 15,00 |
| " Lath " | 3,00 |
| Lime...Rockland, ℔ bbl. | 2,00 |
| " Shell, " | 1,00 |
| " Phil'a, " | 2,50 |
| Meal—℔ bu., 50 lbs | 1,00 |
| Oats, new—℔ bu. | 40 @ 45 |
| Peas—Black ℔ bu | 60 |
| Black Eyed Peas | 1,25 |
| Pork—Mess | 30 @ 33 |
| Potatoes—New ℔ bu. | 50 |
| " Sweet ℔ bu. | 40 @ 50 |
| Rags—℔ lb | 3 to 3½ |
| Rails—Juniper ℔ 1000 | 50,00 to 60,00 |
| Rope (old) ℔ lb. | 1 |
| Shingles—16 inch, heart | 2,00 to 2,25 |
| " 12 " " | 5,00 to 6,50 |
| " 12 " sap | 6,00 @ 8 00 |
| " W. I. | 2 00 @ 2 50 |
| Salt—℔ sack, 3 bu. | 2,00 |
| Salt—T. I., per bu. | 75 |
| Tallow—℔ lb. | 10 @ 12 |
| Wool—℔ lb. | 20 @ 25 |
| Wood—℔ cord | 2,50 to 3,00 |
| Whiskey—℔ gal. | 1,75 to 2,00 |
| Yeopon—℔ bu | 25 to 40 |

### New York Market.

Money easy at 5@6 per cent. Sterling 110. Gold 111⅛. U. S. 5-20s of 1862, 111⅝. U. S. 10-40s 11. North Carolina State Bonds 78; old 52; new 33½. Cotton opened firmer at 17½c. Flour, firmer super fine from $5.50 to $6.25; extra Southern $5.40 to $7.25 Wheat—Winter red Western, inferior to prime, $1.35@1.45. Illinois $1.23@1.25. Corn heavy; mixed Southern 87c@90. Pork lower at $20. Lard steady at 15-@17½c. Whiskey $1.01. @ $1.02 Rice 7@7½c;

## MARINE REPORT.

PORT OF ELIZABETH CITY.

*For the week ending yesterday.*

REPORTED BY WILLIAM S. COPES.

ARRIVALS.

Stmr. Thomas Jefferson, Conklin, Norfolk, Tuesday Thursday and Saturday, freight and passengers to Dismal Swamp Steam Transportation Company.
Stmr. Commerce, Walker, freight, Balto.
Stmr. Hertford, Woolley, laid up.
Stmr. Alpine, Murden, to Norfolk.
Schr. Catharine, Simmons, iron, Balto.
Schr. Ida, Miller, Oysters, Hateras.
Schr. Intrepid, Ackerly, Cape, Hatteras.
Schr. Native, Pugh, Oysters, Hatteras.
Schr. Alice Hill, Hill, light Portsmouth N. C.
Schr. Mary S. Noris, ——, freight, Norfolk
Schr. Ennie Baker, Ives, freight, Norfolk.
Schr. Camden Union, Rhodes, freight Norfolk.

DEPARTURES.

Stmr Thomas Jefferson Conklin to Norfolk, Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays.
Stmr. Alpine, Murden, Hertford.
Stmr. Commerce, Walker, freight, for Plymouth.
Schr. Camden Union. Rhodes,
Schr. Ida, Miller.
Native, Pugh.
Sloop Alfred Dorion, Mott, U. S. M. Roanoke Island.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

DR. CLARK'S LONDON REMEDIES, "FOR SPECIAL COMPLAINTS."

Dr. Clark's Invigorator gives strength to the aged and debilitated; it is especially designed for the young men who have wasted their vigor by excesses of every kind, and all persons whose systems have become weak by imprudence are completely restored by its use. Price One Dollar.

Dr. Clark's Purifier cleanses the blood from all impurities; such as Scrofula; Syphillis, Mercurial Rheumatism, Humors of every sort, Bad Breath, Offensive Prespiration, Foul Feet, Catarrh, Discharges from the Ear, Sore Eyes, Sore Throat, Falling of the Hair, Ulcers, Boils, Pimples, Blotches, and all diseases of the skin. It is also beneficial in diseases of the Lungs and Digestive Organs. Price One Dollar.

Dr. Clark's Panacea relieves Pain of every description; Headache, Earache, Toothache, Stomachache. Backache, Pains in the Breast and Limbs. It is an invaluable remedy in all Nervous Disorders, and no family should be without it. Price One Dollar.

Dr. Clark's Elixir is a certain cure for all weaknesses of the Genito-Urinary Organs, and discharges of a mucopurulent nature, Leucorrhœa, Gonorrhœa, Spermatorrhœa, and Seminal Weakness, are speedily cured by its use. Price One Dollar.

Dr. Clark's Regulator, for females only, is guaranteed to correct all special irregularities and difficulties of Single Ladies. Married Ladies are cautioned not to use it when in a certain condition, as its effects would be too powerful. Price One Dollar.

All of these celebrated remedies are prepared from Fluid Extracts under Dr. Clark's immediate supervision and are warranted fresh and pure. All afflicted persons should send a carefully written statement of their ailments to Dr. Clark, and the proper remedy will be sent promptly to their address. Dr. Clark can be consulted personally at his office, and will furnish all necessary accommodations to patients who place themselves under his care. All letters address DR. J. CLARK,
Office, No. 10 Amity Street,
N. Y. City (near Broadway.)

April 14, 1870-1yr.

$100 CHALLENGE?—It is stated that *one tablespoonful* of English Female Bitters contains as much medical properties as *one bottle* of any of the advertised grog-shop bitters of the day, and the proprietors offer a challenge of $100. 19—4t.

MARRIAGE GUIDE.—Every one his own Doctor. A private instructor for married persons or those about to be married, both male and female, in everything concerning the physiology and relations of our sexual system, and the production and prevention of offspring, including all the new discoveries never before given in the English language, by Wm. Young, M. D. This is really a valuable and interesting work. It is written in plain language for the general reader, and is illustrated with numerous engravings. All young married people, or those contemplating marriage, and having the least impediment to married life, should read this book. It discloses secrets that every one should be acquainted with, still it is a book that must be locked up and not lie about the house. It will be sent to any address on receipt of 50cts. Address Dr. Wm. Young, No. 416 Spruce Street above Fourth, Philadelphia. 19—6m.

A BODY AND MIND DISEASE.—Such is dyspepsia. The stomach and the brain are too intimately allied for the one to suffer without the other, so that dyspepsia and despondency are inseparable. It may be added, that irritation of the stomach is almost invariably accompanied by irritation of the temper.

The invigorating and tranquilizing operation of Hostetter's Bitters is most powerful developed in cases of indigestion. The first effect of this agreeable tonic is comforting and encouraging. A mild glow pervades the system, the chronic uneasiness in the region of the stomach is lessened, and the nervous restlessness which characterizes the disease is abated. This improvement is not transient. It is not succeeded by the return of the symptoms with augmented force, as is always the case when unmedicated stimulants are given for the complaint. Each dose seems to impart a permanent accession of healthful invigoration. But this is not all. The aperient and antibillious properties of the preparation are scarcely secondary in importance to its tonic virtues. If there is an overflow of bile the secretion is soon brought within proper limits, and if the biliuary organ is inert and torpid, it is toned and regulated. The effect upon the discharging organs is equally salutary, and in cases of constipation the cathartic action is just sufficient to produce the desired result gradually and without pain. The Bitters also promote healthy evaporation from the surface which is particularly desirable at this season when sudden spells of raw, unpleasant weather are apt to check the natural perspiration and produce congestion of the liver, coughs, and colds. The best safeguard against all diseases is bodily vigor, and this the great Vegetable Restoratives essentially promotes. 19—4t.

DE BING'S VIAFUGA.

For Consumption and its attendant *complaints* of the *Liver Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys, Genital Organs*, and all afflictions *Peculiar to Women*. For sale by all Druggists. Send for Circular.

$1,000 REWARD for any case of *Blind, Bleeding or Itching* PILES that DE BING'S PILE REMEDY fails to cure. It has cured cases of 20 years standing. Try it, and get rid of the most troublesome disease flesh is heir to. Sold by all Druggists.
L. F. BINGHAM & CO. *Chemists and Proprietors*,
142 Franklin st., Baltimore, Md.
1y.

FOR THIRTY YEARS.—Has the well-known, standard and popular remedy, Pain Killer, manufactured by Perry Davis & Son, Providence, R. I., been before the public, and in that time has become known in all parts of the world, and been used by people of all nations.

It remains, to day, that same good and efficient remedy. Its wonderful power in relieving the most severe pain has never been equalled, and it has earned its world-wide popularity by its intrinsic merits. No curative agent has had so wide-spread sale or given such universal satisfaction. The various ills for which the Pain Killer is an unfailing cure, are too well known to require the capitulation in this advertisement. As an external and internal medicine, the Pain Killer stands unrivaled. Directions accompany each bottle

Sold by all Druggists.
Price 25cts, 50cts., and $1 per bottle
19—4t.

GRANT, MANN & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS & DEALERS

IN

FURNITURE,

MATTRASSES,

UPHOLSTERING GOODS,

CARPETS,

WINDOW SHADES,

MATTING IN GREAT VARIETY, &c. &c.

Making all our furnitnre we are able to give better satisfaction and sell at lower prices than any house South of Baltimore.

"JOHNSON'S HALL,"

57 Main Street, Norfolk, Va.

N. B. Particular attention paid to filling orders.

☞ HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR FEATHERS.

THE OLD MERCHANT AT HOME.

GREAT ATTRACTION ON WATER STREET,

CAUSED BY THE OPENING OF A

NEW LOT OF FALL AND WINTER

GOODS JUST RECEIVED FOR

☞ S. WEISEL. ☜

I take great pleasure of informing the ladies and gentlemen generally that I have returned from the North with a largs and well selected stock of Fall and Winter goods of the latest styles. Consisting in part of

GRANITE POPLIN,

LONDON SATINES,

FRENCH MERINO'S,

SILK BRILLIANTE,

DE LEANS,

SICILLIAN LUSTER,

MOTTLED POPLIN,

MILHOUSE COBOURGS,

VELVETEENS,

ROYAL STANDARD ALAPACCO'S,

Skeleton and glove fitting Corsets, Plain and checked, all wool, Flannels, Tucked Shirting, Ladies Vest, Hosiery and Gloves, Pocket Cutlery of the finest English make, Soaps, Perfumery's and Notions of all kinds, also, a supply of the very best Cloths, Cassemeres, Doeskins, Boots, Shoes, Hats, also, a very fine selection of clothing for Gents and Boys.

All of which I will sell at the lowest market price.

A CALL IS SOLICITED.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Oct., 13, 1870.

NORTH CAROLINA

MANUFACTURING, LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY.

*Incorporated by the N. C. Legislature, with Liberal Banking Privileges.*

Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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| GEO. D. POOL, *Pres't.*; | R. F. OVERMAN, *Cas'r.*; |
| Dr. P. JOHN, | Hon. JOHN POOL, |
| Hon. C. C. POOL, | C. W. HOLLOWELL, |
| C. W. SMITH, | WM. UNDERWOOD, |
| A. C. MOORE. | |

Deals in Exchange, Sight Drafts, Gold and Silver Coin, Government and other Securities, etc.

Uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold on reasonable terms.

July 15, 1869-1y.

## MEDICAL.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

Being engaged in other business, I desire to restrict my Practice to cases of Consultation, and to a limited extent of special practice.

My charges will be—

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| For consultation with another Physician, | $5 00 |
| " each subsequent consultation, in same case | 2 50 |
| " examination and prescrip't'n, from $1 to 5 | 00 |
| " visit in Eliz. City, and prescription, | 1 50 |
| " each subsequent visit, in same case, same day | 50 |
| " visit in Eliz. City, at night, | 5 00 |
| " visit in country—the first mile | 2 00 |
| " each after mile, per mile | 50 |
| " visit one mile in country, at night, or in bad weather | 6 00 |
| " each after mile, at night, or in bad weather | 1 00 |

*Prompt settlement required.*

W. G. POOL, M. D.

Elizabeth City, July 1, 1869-tf.

HOUSE, SIGN AND

ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.

The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869-1y.

CARPENTER & HOUSE-

BUILDER!

The subscriber would respectfully announce that he is prepared to do all kinds of carpenter work, as well as to take contracts for building, etc.

SAMUEL T. MEADS.

Elizabeth City, Dec. 23, 1869-1y.

I HAVE BUT RECENTLY RE-

turned from the North, having purchased my Fall and Winter stock of

☞ DRUGS ☜

which is now more varied and complete than I have ever offered for sale in this market.

I have also an extensive assortment of

DRY GOODS,

BOOTS,

SHOES

HATS,

NOTIONS &c. &c.

All of which I offer for sale at the Drug Stand, and to which your attention is invited. Wishing to onlarge my business, I intended to build a store adjoining the Drug Store in which to put the general merchandise, but my ill health during the summer kept me from doing so.

I thank my friends for their very liberal patronage in the Drug business, not only for the few past months, but for the *many years* I have had their patronage, and do assure them that I expect to keep a first-class Drug store in the future as in the past. That in mixing the stock as I have it is with no intention of giving up the drug business, which I anticipate engaging in *as long as I live*. I have ample room in my store, by using part of the space above, to carry on both branches of business, with my large ware house rooms &c. At an early day I propose to remove the Dry Goods &c., into an adjoining store, and to resume the speciality of Drugs at the drug *stand*.

JAS. N. BUTT.

Oct., 27, 1870.

PHYSICIANS—

Can find at Dr. JAS. N. BUTT'S Drug Store, *Fresh* Hyrate of Chloral, Extract of Calaber Bean, Hydrastin Leptandrin, Permanginate of Potash, Phosporic Acid, Hypophosphites of Lime, Soda, and Patassa, Ammio, Citrate of Bismuth, Hypodermic Syringes, Extract of Lettne, Sequi. Chlori. and Per Sulphate of Iron, &c. &c. &c. Oct. 26, 1870.

PROFESSIONAL.—

DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

DR. J. N. BUTT

Sells Pure Non-Explosive Kerosene. Keeps a large lot of Lamps, small and medium, lamp complete for 50 cents. I keep ne-plus ultra chimneys, small, medium, large and mammoth, flange chimney, small, medium and large, Comet chimney, and the old Socket or Slip Chimney, Daylight, Brocket Lamps, Silver Reflectors and Chandaliers for Stores.

DRUG NOTICE.—

Vessel builders and house painters, call at the Apothecaries Hall and buy of Dr. Jas. N. Butt your White Lead and Lindseed Oil.

DR. JAS. N. BUTT.

DR. JAS. N. BUTT.

Can sell you a good Cigar and Fine Chewing Tobacco. Besides you can get Perfumery and Extracts, Tooth Brushes, Pocket Books, Fine Soaps, Paper and Envelopes, Fine Pocket Knives. Besides hundreds of other articles that can not be mentioned in a small advertisement.

A Large lot of Fools Cap Paper.
Bill "
Congress Letter "
Note " "
Billet " "
Also Legal "

Besides an extensive and varied assortment of Envelopes, &c. &c., at BUTT'S Drug Store.

KADER BIGGS, Norfolk, Va. ASA BIGGS, Formerly of N. C.

KADER BIGGS & CO.

General Commission Merchants, for the sale of Corn, Wheat, Cotton Lumber etc. Bells wharf Norfolk, Va. Commission one cent per bushel on Corn, and 2½ per cent on other produce. Our long experience gives us advantage in obtaining the highest prices.

Prompt sales and returns for all consignments entrusted to our charge.

July 7st, 1870-6m.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS AND

THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.

We take pleasure in stating that our success in business thus far, has greatly exceeded our most sanguine expectations, and the public having been so liberal in their patronage to us, we cheerfully return to them our *thanks*, and we hope that our future conduct will be such as to merit a continuation of their confidence and patronage. We still keep a large and well assorted stock of goods in our line, and we think that our stock of

PATENT MEDICINES,

Paints, Oils and Glass, cannot be surpassed in this *City*, and we intend that our stock shall be sufficient to supply all demands.

WE ORDER GOODS EVERY WEEK,

and parties wishing articles not on hand can have them by leaving their orders with us, and it will give us pleasure to accommodate them.

The especial attention of *Farm and Cattle raisers* is called to our

FARMS HORSE AND CATTLE POWDER,

we manufacture it ourselves and will guarantee its quality, it is valuable for curing all diseases of which stock is subject. Call and get some and give it a trial, and we feel confident you will be pleased with the result. Sold in quantities to suit all who may be in need. We will be pleased to have you

CALL AND SEE US.

DR. WM. GRUMBEIN & CO.

Corner of Main and Road Sts.

1y. Elizabeth City, N. C.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.

I AM TAKING

Ambrotypes, Melaneotypes, opaltypes, gem pictures, and large pictures painted in oil or water colors, old pictures copied into Photographs and enlarged to any size required. I have also just received a new stock of frames rosewood and gilt frames, cases, &c., &c., of the best quality, and have the best instruments of Foreign and American manufacture. Also a large stock of all kinds of photograph materials, and will guarantee as good work as can be done in any City.

N.B. All work guaranteed to be good or your money will be refunded, or picture taken over. Pictures can be taken in cloudy weather as in clear. I have the best and latest improved skylight gallery, just refitted and built under my direction. I have built several galleries and consider this the best I have ever built and have had over ten years experience in the photograph art. Don't forget the place over Dr. Butt's Drug Store 75 Road Street, E. City, N. C.

J. L. WINNER,
Photographer.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., Aug., 18, 1870.

AGENTS WANTED.

for Pasquotank and adjoining Counties, for the New Family Medical work,

Our Home Physician

By Dr. Geo. M. Beard, of the University of the city of New York., assisted by eminent professors. Endorsed by leading medical authorities and journals. It is full of common sense. 1,007 pages, fully illustrated. Tells how to get well, how to keep well, and what to do in every emergency. In these hard times people must and will save doctor's bills. Hence, this book sells rapidly among all classes. Send for full particulars. Address E. B. Treat & Co., Publishers, 654 Broadway, N. Y. Also wanted, agents for our Farmers, and Mechanics' Book. Full of facts and figures for working men of every trade and occupation. Price to suit the times. 211 engravings. Oct. 27-3t.

WANTED AGENTS.

$75 to $200 per month—everywhere, male and female, to introduce the Genuine Improved Common Sense Family Sewing Machine. This Machine will stitch, hem, fell, tuck, bind, braid, cord, quilt and embroider in a most superior manner. Price only $15. Fully warranted for five years. We will pay $1,000 for any machine that will sew a stronger, more beautiful or more elastic seam than ours. It makes the "Elastic Lock Stitch." Every second stitch can be cut, and still the cloth cannot be pulled apart without tearing it. We pay agents $75 to $200 per month and expenses, or a commission from which twice that amount can be made.

For Circulars and Terms, apply or address,
J. W. ROGERS & CO.,
402 Library Street Philadelphia, Pa.

CAUTION.—Do not be imposed upon by other parties palming off worthless cast-iron machines under the same name or otherwise. Ours is is the only genuine and really practical cheap machine manufactured.

18—3m.

NATURE'S HAIR RESTORATIVE

*Contains no Lue Sulphur—No Sugar of Lead—No Litharge—No Nitrate of Silver, and is entirely free from the Poisonous and Health-destroying Drugs used in other Hair Preparations.*

Transparent and clear as crystal, it will not soil the finest fabric—perfectly SAFE, CLEAN and EFFICIENT—desideratums LONG SOUGHT FOR AND FOUND AT LAST!

It restores and prevents the Hair from becoming Gray, imparts a soft, glossy appearance, removes Dandruff, is cool and refreshing to the head, checks the Hair from falling off, and restores it to a great extent when prematurely lost, prevents Headaches, cures all Humors, cutaneous eruptions, and unnatural Heat. AS A DRESSING FOR THE HAIR IT IS THE BEST ARTICLE IN THE MARKET.

DR. G. SMITH, Patentee, Groton Junction, Mass. Prepared only by PROCTER BROTHERS, Gloucester, Mass. The Genuine is put up in a panel bottle, made expressly for it, with the name of the article blown in the glass. Ask your Druggist for Nature's Hair Restorative, and take no other.

Send a three cent stamp to Procter Bros for a Treatise on the Human Hair. The information it contains is worth $500 to any person.

Oct. 27. 70—1y.

State of North Carolina, } Superior Court.
Hertford County. }
William D. Hollowman, Administrator.

Rebecca McCandlish, Thomas P. McCandlish, Robert McCandlish, Robert Murdaugh, Mallery Shields, Robert Shields et als. all of the State of Virginia.

Petition to make Real Estate assets.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Rebecca McCandlish, Thomas P. McCandlish, Robert Murdaugh, Mallony Shields, Robert Shields et als. the defendants in this action are non residents of the State of North Carolina. It is therefore ordered that publication be made for six weeks successively in the "North Carolinian" Newspaper, published in the town of Elizabeth City, notifying them of the filing of this petition and that they appear at the office of the Clerk of this Court at the Court House in Winton on the 10th day of December 1870, and answer the petition or judgment pro confesso will be taken as to them.

J. W. PERRY, Clerk
Superior Court, Hertford Co.

Sept. 26th, 1870.

## MEDICAL.

SICKNESS, PAIN AND DEATH.

Legitimately result as penalties for violations of natural laws, from which none escape.

The faded cheek, the pale and wan features, the dull eye, the clouded intellect, the deep heaving sigh, the feeble and emaciated frame, the dejected brow, the tottering gate, all indicate previous transgression of law. Knowing that "procrastination is the thief of time," all intelligent beings apply for some remedy as soon as circumstances permit; while those who do not act upon the principle that "delays are dangerous," generally linger, lose more time and pay more money.

Thousands of mothers and daughters, in all stations and conditions of life, are suffering, lingering and dying from the effects of some dreaded and dreadful

FEMALE COMPLAINT,

That claims its victims throughout the length and breadth of our land.

Many females suffer in some way at each monthly period; some girls are in great peril at the commencement of menstruation, while older ones dread its decline at the "turn of life." Sometimes the menstrual flow is too much, or too little, or may be attended with pain; may be irregular or entirely checked, or changed in appearance, attended with other distressing sympeoms. Leucorrhœa, or the "Whites," frequently drains the system, or ulceration of the womb may create pain and cause rapid prostration.

Falling of the womb is an exceedingly common complaint, giving much trouble and distress, which, under ordinary treatment, is difficult to cure.

Hysterics, Green Sickness, Irritability of the Womb, and other serious and fatal complaints follow the female sex throughout life. Lives there a medical gentleman who has or can relieve the fair sex of the above troubles? Not many. Is there no combination remedial agents that will come to her rescue? We answer, Yes.

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## AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC MATTERS.

### The Small Fruits.

In the course of a recent address before the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, its President, Marshall Wilder thus alludes to the progress made in the cultivation of the smaller varieties of fruit.

"But what shall we say of the grape? The only two varieties generally cultivated in our Northern gardens twenty-five years ago were the Isabella and the Catawba. What would Mrs. Isabella Gibbs and Mr. John Adlum to whom we are so much indebted for the introduction of these varieties; have said if they could have realized, that within less than fifty years, the cultivation of the grape would be extended almost over our whole Union; that, in addition to these, we should have numerous varieties adapted to every section of our country; that millions of vines would be planted on our hillsides and the banks of our western lakes and rivers; that wild and waste lands would be converted into smiling vineyards, rivalling in luxuriance and abundant product, the vine-clad hills of Europe; that vines would be sold for a few cents each, thus enabling the humble cottager to sit beneath its shade, enjoy a fragrance richer than the rose, and pluck for the wife and weans the purple clusters from his own vine—or from the ripe berries, if he chose, 'crush the sweet poison of misused wines.' Surely, even the sanguine Nicholas Longworth, the great American pioneer in vine culture, could not have predicted that within half a century, the manufacture of this juice would exceed, in a single State, more than five millions of gallons per year.

"Mark the amazing increase of the small fruits. Take, for instance, the strawberry. Within the memory of many of this assembly, we were dependent almost wholly upon the wild species of the field, or the few that had been transplanted to our gardens. It is only about thirty years since the first attempt was made on this continent to raise from seed a new and improved variety—thanks to the enterprise of Mr. Hovey, which gave us a fruit that has stood the test for a whole generation of men. Compare the small, dry, seedy, red and white, wood strawberries of our youth, with numerous, larger, luscious varieties which have come to notice in our day. Not only have the latter increased to hundreds of varieties within this time, but the quantity procured is in a still greater ratio. What would our fathers have said at the despatch from a single railroad station in the Western States, where fifty years ago the emigrant had scarcely set his foot, of one thousand bushels of strawberries daily to market! or from another depot on the unoccupied lands of New Jersey taken up within fifteen years a similar quantity sent to the New York market daily! or, still more remarkable, from Norfolk, in Virginia, where seventeen years ago the cultivation of this fruit had not commenced, and from whence during the present season, three millions of quarts have been sent to the northern markets.

"Thirty years ago we possessed only two good varieties of the raspberry—the red and white Antwerp—now we have numerous fine kinds; and where a man thought himself fortunate to gather a saucer-full, it is raised by hundreds or thousands of bushels for the market. So of the current and blackberry. Of the latter not a single variety had been introduced into our gardens or our catalogues; now we have many new kinds, and the product is equally great.

"Such is the onward march of civilization and refinement in our own day. How cheering and inspiring the omens of the future! Our illustrations, in some particulars, may seem too highly colored and too hopeful, but we think time will prove them to be substantially correct. Such is our rapid progress that, if any apparent overstatement has been made, its correctness will be verified or even exceeded while we yet speak."

### Paint Your Out Buildings.

Besides preserving the wood, it adds so much to the appearences of a place to have the fences and outhouses neatly painted that nothing but the expense is a justifiable excuse for failure to avail one's self of it. Paint, it is true, is costly, but there are many substitutes that answer, while they look almost as well. The common white-wash is better than nothing, but no one need be confined to the glaring white so offensive to good taste. We give below a receipt that we know to be good, and most earnestly entreat farmers and their wives to try the experiment of making things look cheerful by putting on a good new coat:

Take a clean water-tight cask, and put into it half a bushel of lime. Slack it by pouring water over it boiling hot, and in sufficient quantity to cover it five inches deep, and stir it briskly until thoroughly slackened. When the lime has been slackened disolve in water and add two pounds of sulphate of zinc and one of common salt. These will cause the wash to harden and prevent its cracking, which gives an unseemly appearance to the work. A beautiful cream color may be given to the wash by adding three pounds of yellow ochre, or a good peals or lead color by the addition of a lump of black. For fawn color add four pound umber, one pound of Indian red and one pound common lamp black. For stone color add two pounds raw umber and two pounds lamp black. When applied to the outside of houses and of fences it is rendered more durable by adding about a pint of sweet milk to a gallon of the wash.—*Ex.*

### Horace Greely as a Money Lender.

A New York correspondent of the Chicago Republican writes: It would be generally thought that Horace Greeley, with all his shrewdness, early struggles, and wordly experience, would be one of the most difficult men for irresponsible persons to borrow money of. But the very contrary is true. His good heartedness and indifference to matters financial make him a capital subject for swindlers. I doubt if there is a professional money borrower in New York who don't owe Greely something. Every beggar and adventurer who gets below Fourteenth street, gravitates to the Tribune office to see the editor-in-chief and the vission is rarely had without expense to journalist. Since the Tribune was first established, H. G. has lent in large and small sums not less than $50,000, which is nearly, if not quite one third of all he is worth. If I remember rightly, Greeley has said that out of the hundreds of strangers who have borrowed of him, not one has ever returned a loan. He pretends to have turned over a new leaf of late years, and yet it is impossible for him to keep his purse-strings closed. Some time after he had formed the resolution to cease lending, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., borrowed $3,000 of him, and owes it to this as he will to his dying day.

Said a distinguished politician to his son: "Look at me! I began as an alderman, and here I am at the top of the tree; and what is my reward? Why when I die, my son will be the greatest rascal in the city." To this the young hopeful replied: "Yes, dad, when you die, but not till then."

## MISCELLANEOUS.


### WESTMORELAND.

The undersigned gives notice, that the Westmoreland Plantation, on which he now resides, is for sale.

Westmoreland, is in Pasquotank county, 12 miles from Elizabeth City, near Newbegun Creek. It contains about 825 acres; of which about 125 acres are in wood, conveniently located. The woodland is abundant to supply the Plantation, and there is a lot of Cypress, which will afford building material, for the place for all time to come. The land lies nearly in a square, and is surrounded by four good public roads, which intersect each other, at right angles. There are about 700 Acres in cultivation; it is in a high state of improvement, well drained, and produces heavy crops. The whole Plantation, is enclosed with a Juniper and Cypress rail fence, of the best quality, and will require but little repairs, for many years. There are three fields fenced off, each connecting with the Barn Lot, one of 100 acres, one of 60 acres, and one of 50 acres, convenient for small grain, clover or pasturage. The lands produce Corn, Cotton, Wheat, Oats and Peas, in great abundance, and grows Clover, and the grasses most luxuriantly. It is well adapted to all sorts of garden vegetables. There is an abundant supply of fruit for the use of a large family, consisting of the finest Standard Pears, bearing abundantly, from the 15th of July to the 15th of October. Peaches, Cherries, Plums and a lot of dwarf Pears, Peaches, Apricots, Apples and Cherries, set out last fall. A fine lot of Raspberry bushes, from which, there are picked daily, during the season, from 2 to 4 Gallons of berries. A large and thrifty Scuppernong Grape Vine, and Isabella grape vines, bearing luxuriantly, and a fine lot of fig bushes, in full bearing. The buildings are located in a large and beautiful grove of forest trees. The lot is high and pleasant. The main Dwelling House, is a large and elegant building, with 6 rooms, 5 of them with fire places, a large Hall, 12 feet wide, a large pantry and a verandah, on both the North and South sides of the house, all perfectly and elegantly finished. Attached to the main building is a wing 25x30 feet, two stories high, well finished. This building can, very well be used for a separate family. There are two kitchens or cook-houses, two smoke houses, two poultry houses, dairies, and indeed every out-building required for a large family, and sufficient for the accommodation of two or three families.

The farm buildings comprise four tenant houses, each 2 rooms, 3 small barns for tenants use, tool-house, blacksmith shop, a barn, now used for a Gin House 20x32 feet; a large barn 42x72 feet; and a stock house two stories high, 30x50 feet, the upper story used as a hay loft, with a shed on each side.

There are two wells of water, which are said to be among the best in the country. The barn is ¾ of a mile from the creek, where all the produce is delivered on vessels. There are four roads leading from the lot to the four main roads, one running North, one East, one South and one West, and each about ¾ of a mile to the main road. Westmoreland has long been acknowledged as one of, if indeed it is not the most valuable plantation, in the county, or in Eastern North Carolina.

Persons wishing to purchase, are invited to come and examine the property, every effort will be made to enable visitors to form a correct opinion. There have been 6 or 8 farms, adjacent to this one, sold to Northern men, within a year past.

My price is $30 per acre. I refer to Dr. P. John; Hon. G. W. Brooks; T. D. Pendleton, Esq., R. F. Overman, Cashr., and Col. W. F. Martin, of Elizabeth City, N. C.

WILL H. DAVIS.

Oct. 1st 1870.

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14-tf.


State of North Carolina } Superior Court.
Pasquotank County }

W. H. and Ed. H. Davis, Executors of W. H. Jackson dec'd Pltff.

*against.*

C. V. Hendricks and others Defts.

PETITION TO MAKE REAL ESTATE ASSETS.

It appearing to the Court that C. V. Hendricks, Mary S. Latta, W. R. Latta and G. G. Latta are non-residents of the State of North Carolina, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for them to appear at the Court House in the town of Elizabeth City, N. C., on Thursday the 10th day of November A. D. 1870 to answer complaint of said Plaintiffs. It is ordered that this notice be published for six weeks in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a newspaper published in E. City.

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State of North Carolina, } Special Proceeding
Currituck County. } for Partition of land and for Dowor.

Margaret Toler,

*vs*

Alethea C. Mann and Sam'l. B. Bird and Julia A. his wife.

A summons having issued in the above cases and the complaints filed in the office of the Clerk of said County and it appearing that Alethea C. Mann and Saml'. B. Bird and Julia A. Bird his wife are non-residents of the State of North Carolina. Publication is hereby made for the said parties to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Currituck, Co., N. C., on the expiration of six weeks from the first day of September, A. D. 1870, then and there to plead to said complaint or this case will be heard ex-parte and judgment given upon the pleadings present.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Currituck, C. H., on the 29th day of August, A. D. 1870.

M. V. B. GILBERT.
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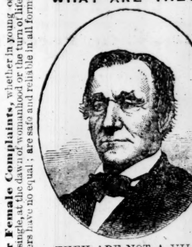

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J. W. Albertson, Admr. of D. F. Bagley deed. } Pltff.

*vs*

Thomas Bagley and others } Defendants.

It appearing to the Court that Thos. Bagley Quentine Bagley, Nathan Bagley and Mary E. Bagley are non-residents of the State of North Carolina, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for them to appear at the Court House in the town of Hertford, N. C., on the first Thursday in November, A. D. 1870 to answer said plaintiffs complaint. It is ordered that this notice bo published for six weeks in "The North Carolinian" a newspaper published in E. City. ED C. ALBERTSON.
Clerk Supr. Court.

Sept., 22 1870-6t.

North Carolina, } Superior Court.
Hertford County. }

William P. Beaman, Pltf.

*vs* Attachment.

Richardson G. Darden Def

One hundred and ninety-five 78-100 dollars due by account, with interest on one hundred and sixty-eight 63-100 dollars from 1 January 1861 and interest on the balance from 29th April 1861. Writ of attachment returnable at the next Superior Court, to be held for the County of Hertford, at the Court House in Winton on the 3rd Monday of October, A. D. 1870, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer the complaint, or judgment will be entered against him.

S. S. HARRELL,
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Sept. 22, 1870-4t.

NOTICE.

I hereby give notice that I will contest the seat of Thomas R. Jernigan in the House of Representatives of the North Carolina Legislature, as I received a majority of the legal votes of the County of Hertford.

WM. D. NEWSOM,
WINTON, N. C., Sept. 22, 1870-6t.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE.

Having levied upon the lands of James S. Seguine and Willis Riddick for taxes.

I shall sell the lands belonging to the above named parties, before the Court House door in Camden county on the 7th day of November next.

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